

## TURN RIOT GUNS ON TEXTILE STRIKERS

## U. S. DIRIGIBLE EXPLODES; 35 ARE KILLED

BOB CONFERS WITH  
FACTION LEADERS  
ON STATE TICKET

To Outline Complete Slate for  
State and Legislative Of-  
fices This Week

SECRETARY OF STATE JOB  
IS THE BIGGEST PROBLEM

Hall to Run for Congress; Com-  
ings or Gordon for His Place

MADISON, Wis.—The selection of a complete La Follette progressive republican ticket to enter the September primary election for state officials, will be considered this week in conference of party leaders with the senior Wisconsin senator.

Three state offices remain in doubt on the La Follette ticket, those of lieutenant governor, secretary of state and attorney general. Selection of assemblymen and senators to make the race in an effort to capture a majority in the legislature favorable to Governor Blaine, is to be discussed at the same time effort is made to determine on candidates for state offices.

**Opposition Delays Slate**

The opposition forces represented by the committee of forty-four, are at present devoting themselves to organization work, having decided to put off their meeting to choose candidates until June 1.

The decision of Elmer S. Hall, secretary of state, to enter the race for congress in the Ninth Congressional district, has raised a problem for the progressives in choosing a representative to fill this vacancy on their ticket.

George P. Conings, lieutenant governor, has expressed a willingness to be a candidate for the post, and if he should be selected there would be an opening in the lieutenant governorship. Lamuel A. Gordon, assistant secretary of state, is mentioned as a likely candidate of the progressives for the secretary of state, especially as he would be the ex-soldier member of the ticket and represent the central section of the state, which at present is without a candidate.

Should Gordon be chosen to make the race as secretary of state, lieutenant governor Conings would seek reelection.

**Severson for Attorney General**

Senator H. J. Severson is named as the probable candidate for attorney general with A. L. Messersmith, assistant attorney general, also seeking the place. Mr. Severson has not yet indicated whether he will accept the place on the ticket should it be tendered him.

Senator La Follette is expected to spend 30 days in the state campaigning, according to expression of his close associates.

He expects to settle the candidates on his ticket, and then prepare for a thorough campaign throughout the state to carry both the full progressive ticket and his own candidacy through the election.

**GREEN BAY, Wis.**—James H. McGowan, attorney and commander of the American Legion post here, is being urged by friends to become a candidate for congress from the ninth district to oppose Elmer S. Hall, of this city, secretary of state. No formal statement has been made by Mr. McGowan but it is understood that he is considering the matter. McGowan is connected with the republican party.

STREITZ CASE IS  
DISMISSED IN  
CIRCUIT COURT

The case of the state against Walter Streit, charged with receiving stolen property, was dismissed in circuit court this afternoon on motion of the attorneys. Hiesee and Schlachba, who maintained the state had not proved that the goods in question had been stolen.

SLAYER TO LEAVE  
MENDOTA ON BAIL

MADISON, Wis.—Hartwell Farwell, Vienna, Wis., farmer who has confessed to slaying Philip Houston of Windsor, early in January, and later attempting to burn his body in a hay-stack, will be released from the Mendota hospital for the insane on \$10,000 bail. Hospital physicians will examine his mental condition and if satisfactory to the laws of both states, as anticipated, he will be let out of the institution. Judge E. Ray Stevens of the Dane county court will name three physicians to examine the mental condition of Farwell, who is entering a plea of insanity. They will report at the trial, which is expected to be held in March.

NEW PURCHASE FROM ITALY  
LARGEST SEMI-RIGID IN THE  
WORLD, DESTROYED BY FIRE

WASHINGTON.—The navy department was notified of the disaster in the following telegram from the naval authorities at Norfolk: "Army dirigible Roma caught fire and fell to ground near army base Norfolk about 2:10 P. M., thirty-five persons reported dead out of fifty aboard."

PORTSMOUTH, Va.—According to a message received at the naval hospital at Portsmouth at 3:15 P. M., thirty-eight men on board the Roma were killed. At that hour twelve bodies had been taken from the wreckage.

NORFOLK, Va.—One man was killed and twelve seriously injured when the giant airship Roma plunged obliquely over a mile and crashed into a barracks building at the Hampton Roads army base at 2:12 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, according to information in the hands of the commanding officer at the Hampton Roads naval base. The remainder of the twenty-one members of the crew and thirty or forty passengers and observers aboard the Roma escaped with minor burns and bruises, it was said.

The Roma was between 600 and 1,000 feet in the air when she fell, officers at the Hampton Roads naval base stated. The Roma, which was the largest semi-rigid airship in the world, was sailing in a southeasterly direction when, according to observers, she suddenly burst into flames and fell like a comet to the earth. The explosion occurred shortly after two o'clock.

## At Least Forty on Board

Authorities at Langley field, the home station of the Roma, and the point at which she was assembled after being brought here from Italy, said that fully forty men were aboard the big airship, but whether there was loss of life had not been ascertained half an hour after she was seen to burst into flames.

Reports from Portsmouth, which is near the naval base, said the Roma after a slanting plunge of hundreds of feet struck one of the barracks buildings at the base and then exploded with a ripping crash. A sheet of flame leaped from the rent in the gas-bag and the passenger compartments slung underneath dropped 20 feet to the ground below.

Other officials at Langley field said there were twenty-one men in the official crew of the airship and thirty or forty passengers and enlisted men aboard. One man was seen by observers at the Standard Oil company plant at Sewell's Point to jump from the ship while she still was several hundred feet in the air.

SENATORS FAVOR  
RESERVATION FOR  
FOUR POWER PACT

Provides that no Arrangement  
Shall be Binding Unless  
Congress Consents

DISCLAIMS MORAL DUTY  
TO ASSIST THE POWERS

Even Lodge, Delegate, Reported  
Favorable to Condition

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A reservation to the four power treaty, providing that no adjustments or understandings reached under its provisions shall be binding without the consent of congress, was debated for two hours by the senate foreign relations committee Tuesday without action, but with a majority of the members indicating their general approval.

Lodge is for it

Senator Brandegee, republican, Connecticut, offered the reservation and committee members said the discussion developed that even Senator Lodge, one of the American delegates to the armaments conference was for it.

The text of Senator Brandegee's reservation which is the first to be proposed to any of the arms conference treaties, follows:

"The senate advises and consents subject to the following reservation, which is to be made part of the instrument of ratification to-wit:

"The United States understands that it assumes no obligation either legal or moral, to maintain the rights in relation to the insular possessions or insular dominions of any of the other high contracting parties and that the consent of the congress of the United States shall be necessary to any adjustment or understanding under Article 1 or 2 by which the United States is to be bound in any way, and that there is no obligation, either legal or moral to give such consent."

**REQUISITION AUTO THIEF**

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—Requisition for the return from Madison, Wis., of Fred Burkhardt, wanted in Belleville for the theft of an automobile belonging to John Meyers, was issued by Governor Small.

FARM PRICES RISE  
ALL OTHERS SHOW  
CONTINUED DROP

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Whole-sale prices on the average approached slightly nearer the 1913 level in January, according to information made public Tuesday by the department of labor.

Prices generally last month represented a decline over the same month of a year ago of 16 per cent.

Of all commodity groups, agricultural products, alone, showed an advance in prices during the month, gaining approximately 2 1/2 per cent.

Armed Airplanes  
Capture Vessel  
Laden With Booze

MIAMI, Fla.—The British schooner Annabelle was seized late Monday off Jewish creek, about forty miles south of Miami, by airplanes of the prohibition squadron operating out of Miami and adjacent coastal towns.

The Annabelle's cargo consisted of 11,000 cases of whisky. The crew of twenty-one men was captured and is held under surveillance, while the confiscated liquor is under guard aboard the schooner. The crew offered no resistance when the flying machines from all directions, with their machine guns pointing at the schooner, swooped down on the vessel.

Eleven airplanes, painted a battleship gray, gradually made their way down the coast last week.

Advance information was furnished by scouts aboard submarines which got the location of the Annabelle, and on Sunday a number of the planes gathered near Jewish and at a signal gathered simultaneously over the alleged whisky carrier.

U. S. AGENTS SEIZE  
STILL, MASH, MOON  
IN GOYETTE HOME

Residence at 815 1/2 Rose Street  
Visited—Henry Goyette Fined  
\$250 by Judge Brindley

LIQUOR IS FOUND HIDDEN  
UNDER FLOOR OF PANTRY

Alcohol Confiscated in Quarters  
Over Joseph's Hahn's Saloon

HENRY C. GOYETTE, 815 1/2 Rose street, was fined \$250 and costs by County Judge Brindley Tuesday morning. He pleaded guilty to having in his possession a still, 50 gallons of moonshine whiskey and three plates of colored moonshine whiskey.

The raid on Goyette's home was made by federal prohibition enforcement agents late Monday afternoon. The still was found in one room, the mash in another and the three plates of colored "moon" under the floor of the pantry. The raiders while walking around the place noticed the loose boards. Their suspicions were aroused and raising up the floor they found two boards loose. Under the boards nestled the three plates of "moon."

Goyette told the court that he got the still last January and that he was making the moonshine whiskey for his own use.

Federal agents also visited the saloon of Joseph Hahn, 801 Rose street. No liquor was found in the saloon but a gallon of liquid believed to be diluted alcohol was found in the living quarters about the saloon. These quarters are said by the authorities to be occupied by Hahn and his brother-in-law and bartender, "Boots" McGuire.

MILK CAMPAIGN  
IS FOSTERED BY  
THE AGRI BRUEAU

Announcement was made today that the agricultural bureau of the Chamber of Commerce is heartily and enthusiastically back of the milk week campaign, and is co-operating to the fullest possible extent in arranging for displays and other features which mark this event.

JUDGE LANDIS OFF  
BENCH BECAUSE IT  
HAMPERED HIS GOLF

Chicago, Ill.—Golf was one of the impelling reasons why Kenesaw M. Landis recently resigned his federal judgeship. It was learned Tuesday. Although an ardent lover of the game the baseball commissioner found that he had no time for the links while exercising his double-play of arbitrating legal and baseball affairs. He found time for, only three rounds of golf last year, which he decided was not sufficient to keep him in physical and mental trim. The judge plays a tolerable game of golf and, as a dog fancier possesses a canine that has been taught to retrieve the lost golf balls.

ONE DEAD AND  
EIGHT INJURED  
AT PAWTUCKET

Strikers at Mill Gates Stone  
Police After Arrests for  
Haling Strike  
Breakers

TROOPS OUT IN OTHER  
MILL TOWNS OF REGION

People Ordered Into Houses  
After Mill Office is  
Wrecked

PAWTUCKET, R. I.—One man was killed, two were seriously wounded and six persons were hurt when the police used riot guns Tuesday on a crowd of 1,000 persons who gathered at the plant of the Jencks spinning company, where a strike is in progress. The guns were brought into play when several patrolmen had been knocked down after the arrest of three strike sympathizers.

**Mayor Orders Shooting**

Mayor Robert A. Kenyon had arrived at the plant early today to observe the crowd that has customarily gathered to watch working operations enter the mill. The mayor, anticipating danger in the crowd, read the riot act. He then led patrolmen to be careful not to do their duty and to "shoot if necessary."

Meanwhile women were pulling and mauling at the girls who were attempting to enter the mill and several workers were knocked to the pavement. The police put their shoulders to the crowd and were countered with fist and club blows. Three patrolmen were knocked down and the arrests followed.

**Crowd Stones Police**

A passing furniture van was commandeered to serve as a patrol wagon but when the patrolmen attempted to hustle their prisoners aboard it, they were met with a bombardment of stones. Then the riot guns swept the crowd. Eight persons fell, all but two of whom got up and ran away. The crowd dispersed.

The Eighth Coast artillery company, which was mobilized last night for possible duty in connection with strike riots, left the armory at six a. m. today. Its destination was not made public.

The disturbance at the Jencks plant occurred after the departure of the troops.

The man killed was Joseph Asquith of Valley Falls, one of a group of strike sympathizers.

The Jencks company has been operating its mills with partial force. A disturbance there Monday was marked by a police attack on a crowd which had assaulted four young women operatives.

**Troops Out at Pontiac**

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Two troops of state cavalry Tuesday patrolled the mill village of Pontiac ten miles south of here, where striking cotton operatives Monday besieged the mill and office of the B. H. and R. Knight company. The cavalry, dispatched by order of Governor San Soucy, was to be augmented by a detachment with machine guns and possibly by one of four coast artillery companies that slept Monday night in the armories here.

Pontiac, cut-off from telephone communication when strike sympathizers severed the wires, was quiet all night, according to reports. Tuesday Major S. A. Hall, commanding the cavalry, was prepared to send a detachment to Natick, a village about eight miles from here, in anticipation of a recurrence of disturbances there.

The eighth company, coast artillery corps, spent the night in the state armories at Pawtucket. Two demonstrations occurred Monday at the plant of the Jencks Spinning company in Pawtucket. Four arrests were made. The troops dispatched to Pontiac, the office of which was wrecked by a mob late Monday.

## Orders Streets Cleared

Major Hall ordered everyone to retire to their homes, closed Main street to traffic and sent a detail to see that the streets were kept cleared. There was no opposition to the movement of the troops.

Governor San Soucy in a proclamation to the residents of Providence and Kent counties directed all persons to desist from riots and tumultuous assemblies.

Mayor Robert A. Kenyon of Pawtucket warned labor leaders not to parade without permission of the police.

## Parade in Silence

NATRIK, R. I.—Striking textile workers and sympathizers jammed the streets Tuesday waving small American flags but preserving silence. Mounted cavalry troops and police

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MINE AND RAIL UNION  
CHIEFS MEET TO PLAN  
"DEFENSIVE ALLIANCE"ST. ELMO SALOON  
ON FRENCH ISLAND  
DESTROYED BY FIRE

Landmark of French Island is  
Totally Destroyed on  
Sunday Afternoon

LOSS OF BUILDING IS  
ESTIMATED AT \$5,000

Entire Building Destroyed in  
One Hour's Time

THE St. Elmo saloon, historic landmark of French Island, was totally destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon, according to information learned here Tuesday. The building was estimated to be valued at \$5,000.

According to residents of the island who witnessed the fire from the beginning, the flames started in the roof near the chimney. Branch equipment of the fire department was called to the scene but was unable to fight the flames which had already gained a good start because of the heat of water protection.

With a strong west wind prevailing, residents declared that the entire structure was destroyed within an hour after the flames were discovered. It developed that Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norroff, residents on the upper floor of the building were visiting relatives in South La Crosse at the time of the fire. Fire department officials reported that some of the furniture was salvaged.

While the estimated value of the building was placed at about \$5,000, the value of the property within has not been learned.

BOSTON PROSECUTOR  
REMOVED FOR PLOTS  
TO EXTORT MONEY

Court Unanimous that Pelletier  
is Not Fit to Continue  
in Office

BOSTON, Mass.—District Attorney J. C. Pelletier of Suffolk county was removed by the supreme court Tuesday. The court found him guilty in several counts under charges of false swearing and nonfeasance in office.

The court's ruling was on charges brought by state's attorney general Allen that Pelletier had been a party to conspiracy to extort money under threats of prosecution and to suppress indictments.

U. S. Senator James A. Reed of Missouri as counsel for Pelletier, presented his testimony in defense, arguing that the evidence connected him with no wrongdoing and that the charges were merely the outgrowth of a conspiracy by personal and political enemies.

The decision of the court was unanimous.

In its conclusion the court said the findings made clear "beyond any admixture of doubt" that the respondent was unfit to hold longer the office of district attorney.

NOMINATIONS FOR  
DEBT FUNDING BODY  
ARE SENT TO SENATE

WASHINGTON.—Nominations of Secretary Mollen, Secretary Hughes, Representative Burton to be members of the allied debt funding commission will be sent to the senate Tuesday, it was announced at the white house.

URGE SHARP CUT  
IN STOCK RATES

WASHINGTON.—Sharp reductions in the railroad freight on livestock were urged in the interstate commerce commission's general rate hearings Tuesday by producers of cattle and hogs and the National Livestock exchange.

## POSTOFFICE HOLIDAY

The postoffice will be closed Wednesday, Washington's birthday according to announcement made by Postmaster O. R. Skarr Tuesday. There will be no carrier deliveries during the day, although business collections of mail will be made.

LEWIS DENIES THE  
PROPOSED PACT IS  
TO AID THE STRIKE

Will Not Indicate What Sort of  
Understanding is Expected  
from Conference

MINERS INVITE EMPLOYERS  
TO CONFERENCE ON WAGES

Set Date of March 2 for Meeting  
With Union Officials

CHICAGO, Ill.—A "defensive alliance" was discussed here Tuesday by coal mine and railway union leaders who assembled on the invitation of John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America. Fifteen of the sixteen major railway unions accepted Lewis' invitation to participate in the conference. Just to what extent the railway union representatives will enter into the alliance has not been indicated.

Mr. Lewis of the miners' union, said he was confident that the conference with the railroad labor chiefs would be "fruitful of results" but he did not indicate what sort of an understanding was expected to be developed from the conference. He also said that other conferences in the future would probably be necessary before any final program for the alliance might be adopted.

## Strike Not Alliance Reason

The threatened miners' strike on April 1, according to the miners' officials was in no way connected with the proposed alliance, but the officials said their hope was to create a working arrangement between the miners and the rail men so that the potential strength of 2,000,000 in two basic industries might be of such force as to prevent any arbitrary wage reductions by employers without conferences with the workers.

The "Big Four" brotherhoods were represented by their vice presidents, while the shop unions had their principal executive officers here. Besides Mr. Lewis, the miners were represented by Vice President Philip Murray, Secretary William Green and others.

## Ask Conference With Operators

President Lewis Tuesday asked coal operators of the central competitive field, comprising the states of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and also of western Pennsylvania to meet with union officials at Cleveland on March 2 for a wage conference which he said might avert the impending strike.

Similar requests have been rejected by some operators who said they wished to discontinue collective bargaining with the miners.

Mr. Lewis' messages for the Cleveland meeting were sent to all associations of coal operators in the central competitive field and also to operators who were signatories to the present wage agreement made in New York two years ago. The Cleveland meeting if approved by the operators, Mr. Lewis said, would fix the dates for negotiations on the wage scale. No actual work on a scale agreement, he said, would be taken at the Cleveland meeting.

## WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity—Snow or rain tonight and Wednesday. Warmer tonight.

For Wisconsin—Snow north; snow or rain south tonight and Wednesday. East winds increasing.

For Minnesota—Snow tonight, and Wednesday. Warmer in southeast and colder in northwest portions tonight. Colder west portion Wednesday.

For Iowa—Rain tonight and Wednesday possibly mixed with snow. Warmer in east and south portions tonight. Colder west portion Wednesday afternoon or night. Strong shifting winds.

## TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

5 a. m. .... 21 10 a. m. .... 23  
7 a. m. .... 22 11 a. m. .... 24  
9 a. m. .... 22 12 m. .... 25  
11 a. m. .... 24 1 p. m. .... 28

## NATION-WIDE RECORD

Low Yesterday's night high Free.

Blanchard	26	28	29
Chicago	26	28	29
Denver	26	28	29
Havana	12	29	36
Huron	12	29	36
Jacksonville	12	29	36
Kansas City	12	29	36
La Crosse	18	22	24
Madison	18	22	24
Memphis	12	29	36
Medicine Hat	12	29	36
Minneapolis	24	28	29
Missoula	14	11	11
New York	24	28	29
New Orleans	38	76	76
San Diego	46	58	54
San Francisco	42	54	56
St. Paul	12	29	36
St. Louis	12	29	36
St. Petersburg	12	29	36
Washington	24	28	29

# ERSKINE DALE PIONEER

by JOHN FOX Jr.



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(Continued)  
"What is your name?"  
"Erskine Dale."  
Without a word she turned back into her tent.  
At dusk Erskine stood by the river's brink, with his eyes fixed to a rising moon and his thoughts with Barbara. Behind him he heard a rustle and, turning, he saw the girl, her breast throbbing and her eyes  
aged him to stay with the Indians; now she lost no opportunity to urge against it.  
Her face had blanched, she argued passionately that he must go, and Erskine was sorely puzzled. The girl, too, had grown rebellious and dis-  
honest, for the change in her mother was plain also to her, and she could not understand. Moreover, Erskine's stubbornness grew, and he began to flame within at the staking insolence of Black Wolf, who continued to seek the hand of Early Morn.  
One day in the open village the clash came. Black Wolf darted forth from his wigwam, his eyes blood-shot with rage and drink, and his hunting knife in his hand.  
A cry from Early Morn warned Erskine and he wheeled. As Black Wolf made a vicious slash at him he sprang aside, and with his fist caught the savage on the jaw. Black Wolf fell heavily and Erskine was upon him with his own knife at his enemy's throat.  
"Stop them!" old Kahoon cried sternly, but it was the terrified shriek of the white woman that stayed Erskine's hand. Two young braves dis-  
cerned the fallen Indian and Kahoon looked inquiringly at his adopted son.  
"Turn him loose!" Erskine scowled. "I have no fear of him. Next time I shall kill him."  
The white woman had run down, caught Early Morn and was leading her back to the tent. From inside presently came low passionate plead-  
ing from the mother and an ocean-  
ous sob from the girl.  
And hour later at dusk Erskine turned upward toward the tent, the girl gave a horrified cry. Dashed  
from the tent, and darted for the high cliff over the river.  
"Catch her!" cried the mother. "Quick!" Erskine fled after her, over-  
took her with her hands upraised for the plunge on the very edge of the cliff, and half carried her, struggling and sobbing, back to the tent. While in the girl dropped in a weeping heap, and with her face covered, and the woman turned to Erskine, agonized.  
"I told her," she whispered, "and she was going to kill herself. You are my son!"  
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Still sleepers at following dawn, the boy rode firefly into the woods. At sunset he came in, gaunt with brooding and hunger. His mother, watching from her wigwam, under-  
stood and grew fearful. Quickly she called him, and he rose and went to her bewildered; she was smiling.  
"I have decided," he said. "You and she must leave here and go with me."  
His mother pretended much dis-  
pleasure. "She will not leave, and I will not leave her"—her lips trem-  
bled—"and I would have gone long ago but—"  
"I understand," interrupted Erskine, "but you will go now with your son."  
The poor woman had to scowl.  
"No, and you must not tell them. They will never let me go, and they will use me to keep you here. You must go at once. Some day—"  
She turned abruptly and went into her tent. Erskine wheeled and went to old Kahoon.  
"I am a soldier and must obey the big chief's command, as must you." "I shall live," said the old man wearily, "until you come again."  
Erskine nodded and went for his horse. Black Wolf watched him with malignant satisfaction, but said nothing—nor did Crooked Lightning. Erskine turned once as he rode away. His mother was standing outside her wigwam. Mournfully she waved her hand. Behind her and within the tent he could see Early Morn with both hands at her breast.  
NIX  
Dawned 1781.  
The war was coming into Virginia at last. Virginia falling would thrust a great wedge through the center of the Confederacy, feed the British ar-  
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THE OMINOUS GUIDE  
The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord.  
Psalm 119:105

## American Amateurs

AFTER a series of rather unwholesome exposures of deceit and trickery in recent weeks the action of the mid-west colleges at St. Paul in frankly recognizing summer baseball comes as a welcome relief. One hopes that the seed will bear further fruit and prosper until it becomes an accepted rule in the American college world. For the stringent "amateur" restrictions of college athletics seem demonstrably to have operated not in the development of "gentlemen sportsmen," as they were designed, but in the burgeoning of hypocrisy and crookedness.

Recognizing the use of athletic ability for what it is worth during vacations is merely recognizing a fundamental of American conditions which is not in itself disgraceful. It has become disgraceful because the college and university athletic world has swallowed whole a code of ethics that was built abroad—in England, to be exact—and was fitted to English conditions. Barring from amateur competition one who has ever accepted money for displaying his skill in any game is intended in England to restrict competition to gentlemen amateurs. American universities naturally want their representatives on the athletic field to be gentlemen, but the trouble with adopting the English method to that end is that the British idea of what makes a gentleman is decidedly different from ours. With us a gentleman is just that—a clean, upright, decent, gentle man—regardless of birth or wealth. In England the name strictly denotes a class, the leisure class. It is a question of birth and money. Barring from amateur sport men who found it necessary or useful to take money for their skill automatically bars British sport to all but members of the leisure class. It makes amateur sport the exclusive preserve of the rich and noble. That is what the British wanted, and their rules admirably fit their conditions. It is not, however, what any real American wants in American college sports.

It is true that there must be some restrictions about professionalism of college athletes. Otherwise the gates would be down to such unscrupulous practices as the hiring of cranks in every line of sport, which would defeat the purpose of school sports without doubt. But it seems quite reasonable to suggest some way in which the thousands of vigorous young Americans who are working their way through school could use to advantage the gifts of nature in the socially useful job of acquiring an education, without accepting also a stigma setting them apart from the rest of their college mates. Summer baseball for money is often the avenue through which the undergraduate can earn most to assist him during the school year. Except for an arbitrary code adapted to British standards there seems to be no reason why such activity should vitiate his amateur standing for football or other sports during the school year. Baseball is no disgrace, and earning money is no disgrace—in America. Why should we pretend it is and make things immeasurably more difficult for many young men who have ambition enough to want an education and spirit enough to give their time to college athletics?

## News by Naval Radio

ONE hopes the senate will be as friendly toward the bill continuing the use of the naval radio system for news as the house, which passed it on Monday. Under present circumstances, from many points of the world the naval radio is the only avenue by which the American public can procure uncensored, accurate intelligence. The cables to the United States are in many cases in the possession of foreign governments, and in numerous instances news destined for the American public has been subjected to delays and distortions calculated to make it fit better with the designs of the foreign government owning the cable. Until the United States can extend its own cable lines to all such countries—something that foreign governments may never permit, by the way—the naval wireless is the only resort for the transmission of honest news. This is important to the United States. Propaganda is not news, nor is information on current events of international significance which has been deleted and distorted to accommodate itself to propagan-

da. If Americans are to steer wisely in the troubled sea of foreign relations they must first know what the facts are. The American press has able and diligent men in foreign countries to get these facts, but their labors are useless unless the results can be delivered whole.

## Mrs. Atlas

EMPLOYERS are talking about "the increased productivity of labor" as one of "the hopeful signs of the times." The bricklayer lays more bricks an hour, the coal heaver heaves more coal, the shipping clerk drives more nails. In hard times, when two men are after one job, the competition speeds things up. Scientists classify this as the instinct of self-preservation.

In boom times, when there are more jobs than job-hunters, the average man does less work, like the elephant, who stops the circus parade unless he gets an occasional prod. It's a curious combination of psychology and biology. With exceptions, it applies to all of us, whether we work for wages, salaries or straight profits.

Neck-and-neck with the increased productivity of employees there's an increased productivity of employers. The bosses are getting down to work earlier and staying later. Shirt sleeves are rolled up, midnight oil burns, and Honorable Swivel Chair is divorcing himself from outside interests.

Gone are the good old days of 1919, when a man could take two hours for lunch and knock off at 2:30 in the afternoon for golf and other violent exercise. It was observable at that time that private secretaries seemed to have more to do with the actual running of the average business than the boss himself. About all some of the bosses had to do was sign letters and checks. Many of them appeared to be continually "in conference." About 8,500,000 women are gainfully employed in American industry. In thousands of offices, with the title of "private secretary," they have been handling the wheel.

The importance of the part played by women in industry cannot be overestimated. But the greatest business ability in America is in the home. If the average corporation head had managed his business with as much economy and system as his wife managed the kitchen and general household, the sheriff would be getting an occasional breathing spell. Woman is thrifter and more far-sighted than man. After all, she said and done, Atlas—who holds up the world—is a woman.

## Aztec

IN a prehistoric ruin near Aztec, New Mexico, excavators find a basketball shield, for warding off the enemy's spears. The owner cunningly had coated it with flakes of mica, fastened with gum. In the sunlight this worked like a mirror, blinding the enemy. Behold, there, one of the earliest manifestations of the inventive spirit, chief thing that separates us from the savagery of the past. Our finest modern inventions will be considered crude when they are unearthed by future archaeologists.

## In Ye Olden Times

### TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Goodrich, who recently left on a tour of the south, have received word of their safe arrival in Cuba.

The first plumbing shop to be opened in North La Crosse will be ready for business tomorrow when James Smith opens a shop at 912 Caledonia street. It will be in the building formerly occupied by the North Side laundry. Mr. Smith will also deal in heating apparatus in connection with his plumbing business.

Plans now made materialize a new three-story building will be erected on the site of the Thomas Le company's store at 507 Main street, during the coming summer by Otho J. Oren. This is the announcement made by Mr. Oren today following his purchase of the site from William Doerflinger and John Teutler.

Dr. W. A. Henke was married at Pittsfield February 20 to Miss Bess Smith.

### TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

M. P. Mahlum, in charge of the forging department at the James foundry, has resigned his position and rented the barn building of the Commercial hotel which he is fitting up for foundry purposes. He will run the new foundry himself and will manufacture heavy forging material for drilling.

William B. Tscherner received his commission as postmaster of La Crosse from Washington, D. C., this morning. He succeeds J. L. Pettingill and will take office March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cargill and son, Austin, left this week to join the colony of La Crosse people wintering in the south. They will travel extensively throughout all the gulf states before returning home in the spring.

M. I. Vought of the Vought-Berger company has sold out his interest in the electrical concern to C. A. Sterling for \$7,500. The retirement of Mr. Vought from the company will not change its name. The company has rented the building formerly occupied by the Commercial Hotel on Pearl street. The building left vacant by the company's removal will be occupied by the La Crosse Box factory.

### THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The choir of St. Mary's church sang at Bishop-elect Schwebach at his residence on South Eleventh street last night. After rendering one selection the choir was invited into the house by the bishop and the evening was spent in singing and playing. The bishop spoke entertainingly of his early life in La Crosse and incidentally mentioned that next February 25, the date fixed for his consecration, he will be the twenty-third anniversary of his coming to La Crosse.

The millinery department at the La Crosse Hotel is being very much improved by new carpet and fixtures. David Drummond is repairing a clock which was sold in this city by A. T. Clinton back in the sixties. It is dated 1855.

Charles J. Russell, assistant general agent of the State Investment and Insurance company of San Francisco is here to open an agency.

Borison Brothers are putting up a store building on Caledonia street. It is to be occupied by John Streeter.

## Abe Martin



People are all alike, we're all human and have our honest convictions and beliefs, but a few reputations that used to be democratic. We've always wondered if Henry Ford, with all his wealth and genius, could put a run down heel on a payin' basis.

## The Green Coat

(BY CLARISSA MACKIE)

Eleanor saw the broken chain of her shopping bag hanging from the pocket of a smartly tailored green topcoat. Flattered inside the topcoat was a tall man, who seemed in a hurry.

She did not cry out—that was not the Bradley way. She simply left the crowd and followed the man in the green coat. He walked rapidly, and the girl was ready to cry with vexation and alarm as she saw her money vanishing. Eleanor's quick pattering feet stopped short as the man suddenly paused under a lamp-post and whistled about. His right hand thrust into his pocket as if in search of a watch, and then remained there. His other hand awkwardly went up to remove his hat at sight of the girl lingering timidly nearby.

"You were following me?" he asked shortly.

"I was pressing you," she said in an uncertain tone.

"What?" As he waited for an answer to this inquiry, Eleanor had the impression that he was surprised about something else. His rather good-looking young face wore an amused look.

"I want my handbag. If you please," she said, just as Grandmother Bradley would have done under like circumstances.

"What have I got to do with it?" "You should be ashamed of yourself," she cried in sudden indignation. "You know it is in your own pocket this very moment."

"Then his right hand came out of his pocket and with it came Eleanor's handbag. She saw that his gray eyes flashed like steel as he faced her.

"I don't know who you are, madam," he said slowly, "but from what you say you seem to be the owner of this bag. Have you formed any idea of how it came to be in my pocket?"

Eleanor laughed sanely. Grandmother Bradley would have done that, with just that little dash of the pretty cheek. "The bag was 'recovered,'" she murmured reminiscently, "and it was easy for any one who wanted to be a pickpocket. I mean—let me see the handle of the bag."

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"That is only the beginning," he laughed shortly. "For I did not know the bag was in my pocket until I heard footsteps behind me, and turned to see who it was, putting my hand into my pocket as I did so—and lo! The bag!" He put it in her outstretched hand with a little bow. "I hope you will believe me."

"Thank you," murmured Eleanor, looking to the man very much afraid to be in the presence of this mad young creature. She wondered what Grandmother Bradley would have done now that the Bradley spirit had left her thus far.

He stood aside so that she could pass on. They were near the corner and just around the corner was the pretty row of lamp-posts, where her brother lived. If she could only reach there in safety.

He saw her hesitation and spoke in a perfunctory tone. "I am afraid you did not believe my story after all."

"It was a very—very nice story, indeed," she assured him in a quaking voice as she hurried away. She did not go far. Before she reached the corner there was the sound of running feet and she turned with a cry upon her lips.

The man in the green overcoat was still standing under the lamp-post, and coming swiftly upon him again the man was another man, also in a green overcoat, looking green under the strong light. "There was something in his outstretched hand—something that he pointed at the first man, as he cried hoarsely:

"Give up that bag, son! Where is it? Come across!"

"What bag?" replied the first youth.

"The dinky handbag—it's mine—it wasn't meant for you—no wonder!" The hand that held the woman lifted and then descended on the head of the green.

The indomitable spirit of Grandmother Bradley leaped up again with Eleanor. Then she remembered that there was a noble whistle in the man's hand, and she stepped back into the shadows and blew it shrilly.

The man bending over the prostrate form of the man in the green overcoat lifted his head, uttered an

## SCHOOL STUDY SPORTS

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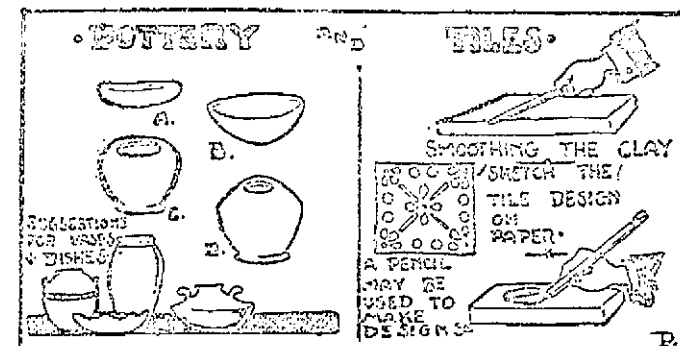
## THE BOYS AND GIRLS NEWSPAPER

## HUMOR PLAY WORK

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## CLAY MODELLING AT HOME



BY OUR OBSERVER AT THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO

The making of pottery is a process of building up. You start with a small lump of clay, flattened and rounded. This is "a" in our picture. By shaping it with your fingers the mass soon assumes a bowl-shape. (See "B.") With additions of clay and more shaping the object grows and finally is finished. When adding clay, be very careful to get the walls of the pottery of even thickness. If possible, work with one hand inside the object to serve as a brace.

### Trim Object With Knife

Allow the pottery to dry. Then trim the edges and remove any lumps on the surface, using a sharp knife. Paint the object with your water colors. When the paint has dried, apply a coat of white shellac. This produces a glossy finish. Bees' wax rubbed on the painted object will produce a more artistic finish. The surface will be softer and smoother, and less glossy than when shellac is applied. Should bees' wax be used, coat the inside of the pottery several times with shellac to add to its strength.

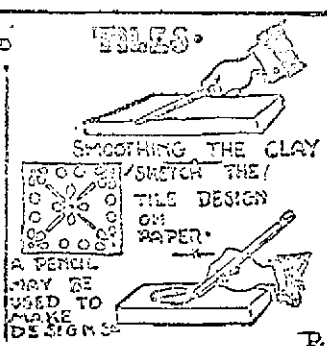
This pottery will not hold water. If water must be put into the object place a container—a glass or tin can—inside.

### Use of Tiles

Tiles may be used for a number of purposes. They make good ornaments for the mantel, and they are useful as paper-weights.

Smooth out a lump of clay on your modelling board. Press it to a thickness of one inch, and make it four inches square. A kitchen knife is a good tool with which to do this work. Make the top and sides of the tile very smooth.

The surface of the clay that now



faces up is not the top, really, but the bottom of the tile. Slip your knife carefully under the clay and turn it over. The side which now faces up is the top and should be made very smooth.

Decide upon the design you wish to press into the soft clay. In planning the design remember that it may be pressed into the clay with the aid of buttons, seeds, ends of thread spools, and similar objects. A pencil, or the sharp end of a meat skewer, may also be used to draw lines of the design on the clay.

### Making the Design

When the design has been chosen, sketch it carefully on a piece of paper. Gather together all the articles necessary to make the impressions on the clay, and then with the pencil design before you get busy. The clay should not be too wet when you press the design into it.

Allow the clay to dry after the design has been made, and then with a knife cut away the rough edges and correct errors.

You may finish the tile by painting it with water colors and coating it with white shellac. But if you wish a less glossy finish than the shiny surface furnished by the shellac, rub the painted tile with bees' wax. The tile should be polished all over, and not only the face and sides.

### TO-DAY'S PUZZLE

RODOHTY, ZINE, LLASTE, NADE, CEILARC, YNCAN, THIRNEAKE. Rearrange these letters so as to form girls' first names, and then make the first letters of the names spell the name of a famous English author.

Answer to yesterday's: "A penny saved is a penny earned." Begin with the second letter and take every other one.

## ONE REEL YARNS

### SISTER'S SHOES

"Where are my good shoes?" wailed Edna, as she got up from a search under the bed.

"Perhaps Little Sister has them on," suggested Mrs. Stevens, her mother. "She has taken a fancy lately to shoes. When I'm working she goes trotting and shuffling around in the kitchen in a pair of her father's slippers. She seems to have a lot of fun out of it."

Edna, hunched, "She's such a funny Little Sister. She finds more queer ways of amusing herself."

There was a strange, shuffling noise down the hall. They both listened, smiling. Then Little Sister came in, her face beaming as she looked down at Edna's best shoes, which she had slipped on over her own small shoes.

"Sister's shoes," she said. "I Sister, Sister's shoes."

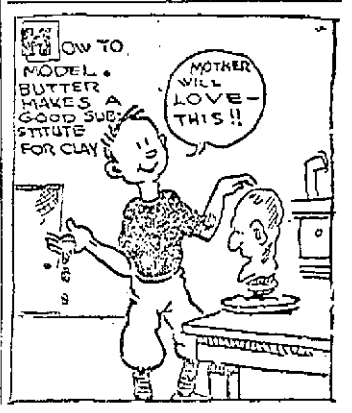
Edna snatched her up, laughing, gave her a hug, and sat her down on the bed. "You'll have to let Sister have these shoes," she said. "Let I'll get you another pair to play with."

"Sister's shoes," repeated Mrs. Stevens, thoughtfully. "How do you like having your sister in your shoes, Edna?"

Edna looked up. "In my shoes," she repeated. "I don't like."

"Those particular shoes have high heels," her mother went on. "I didn't like them when you got them. But because they are yours, Little Sister will think that is just the kind of shoes to have. She's always going to be trying to walk around in your shoes, Edna. Sometimes it seems a little funny, but it's really very serious. You must be careful what sort of shoes you wear."

"I see," said Edna. "You don't mean real shoes, exactly. I think I'll try to be careful about the sort of shoes I wear."



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# CEMENT COMPANIES COMING TO TERMS WITH BADGER STATE

Further Cut of Ten Cents is  
Offered to Highway Com-  
mission

MADISON, Wis.—The cement trust made partial terms with the people of Wisconsin Monday. An additional reduction of 10 cents a barrel on cement was telegraphed to the state highway department at noon making a reduction of 18 cents in price since January 21, two months ago representing the state. A. B. Hirst, chief engineer rejected bids on 1,000,000 barrels of cement at \$1.65 a barrel. Three weeks ago the companies announced a 15 cent reduction for Illinois which would approximate 8 cents when the cement is delivered in Wisconsin. Hirst refused to buy. He demanded that the reduction be 15 cents the same as in Illinois. Yesterday Hirst was advised by the Marquette company that they had lowered their prices ten cents a barrel, which makes a total of 18 cents in reductions. So far other companies have refused to meet the new prices. Marquette can only offer 600,000 barrels of cement which is sufficient short of Wisconsin needs. Hirst expects that other companies will follow with reductions. Several midwestern states joined Wisconsin in the fight for lower cement prices.

# MRS. ASQUITH FINDS AMERICA NOT FREE

No Such Thing as Liberty Here She  
Tells Reporters: Hughes Great-  
est American

CHICAGO, Ill.—Mrs. Margot Asquith, wife of England's former premier, who has been called "England's woman of the biting tongue," upon her arrival in Chicago, for a lecture, made the following observations of American and Americans:  
"American railroads are an abomination."  
"Flappers are only a result of the war."  
"All the participants in the war should cancel their war debts."  
"Of course I know of Jane Adams. I mean that I did not know her personally."  
"Hughes is your greatest national figure."  
"There is no such thing as freedom in America."  
"Wine and beer must return."  
"America has not treated her wounded generously."  
"I like American men better than American women."

# IN THE MORNING PAPERS A Summary of the News

NEW YORK.—A thousand debutantes took charge of the Hotel Biltmore for the benefit of the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.  
NEW YORK.—Supreme Court Justice Muller denied a petition of Edith Kelley Gould for an order vacating the divorce decree obtained in Paris by E. J. Gould.  
SAN FRANCISCO.—Admiral Baron Kato of the Japanese armaments delegation said in an address that the adjustments reached between China and Japan could hardly be expected to please every faction of every country.  
WASHINGTON.—Secretary of Labor Davis said that hundreds of aliens are being illegally "boot-legged" into the United States.  
LONDON.—George Harvey American ambassador to England addressed the "Pigskin" society dinner at which A. J. Balfour head of the British arms delegation was welcomed on his return from America.  
"Every man should learn to speak on his feet," says Bryan. This is often a big subject.

# ART NOTES

BY D. O. COATE



The attendance at the present water-color exhibit at the Chamber of Commerce, bids fair to be one of the largest in the association's history. It is starting out with unusual interest. Whether the public likes water colors especially, or whether the association's work is gradually spreading so that these showings of beautiful pictures are interesting here and more people, we do not know. At all events, the increased interest is gratifying and is as it should be. Under the most favorable conditions to bring to our city two or three times a season, exhibits of the size and importance of these, means a great deal of work, much care and financial risk on the part of a few people. It is all eminently worth while if only the public in increasing large numbers get the benefit from these efforts.

Attendance by days:  
Wednesday afternoon, 75.  
Thursday afternoon, 90.  
Friday afternoon, 132.  
Saturday afternoon, 162.  
Sunday afternoon, 76.

These figures do not include meetings of clubs, or other special gatherings, dinners, etc., but just those persons who came expressly to see the exhibit.

Large numbers have given marked attention to each of the three gallery talks given thus far. Others will yet be given. It was a pleasure to talk to such large interested groups as came from the vocational school, other schools should follow suit. All are welcome; this is a community affair. How would it be if teachers brought each her own group of children and talked to them about the pictures? It is done in many places, when an exhibit is on. It might be worth the

time of the class-work missed. Parochial are as welcome as public schools.

The exhibit will continue to the end of the month, the hours this week being daily from 12 to 5:30.

This week on Tuesday and Saturday evenings it will be open also from 7 to 9, and a talk will be given at about 8 o'clock.

Wouldn't it seem that in a city of our size more persons would want a share in bringing these delightful exhibits. All persons of refinement and general culture recognize the educational value of such things. Of course there are always some to whom such will have no appeal. This is to be expected. But a few hundreds more members would make the work very much easier. Perhaps it is a case of "let George do it." If eventually, why not now?

In April comes the next big exhibit, a fine collection of oils from the New York Academy of Design, selected and lent by the American Federation of Arts, of which we are a chapter. This will close the season.

If you are not a member of the association, join it, and help us conserve energy and funds by sending your check to our treasurer, who will send you a membership card. The Art association employs neither agents, solicitors, walking delegates, nor collectors. It doesn't have to; beautiful pictures and hot air do the work.

About the only ball we know of that rolls up hill and keeps rolling is the Art association of La Crosse. Truly art is long.

John Ruskin said, "Every intelligent boy in Edinburgh is influenced by the sight of the tower." This is true of all art. Do we really believe it? We put pictures on our walls, in school rooms, where we try to educate our youth. We hang beautiful pictures and place objects of art before our children at school, so that when their eyes are lifted from the pages they may rest on beauty, and thus live

quiet, refining influence gradually sinks into the child and enrich and enable the character. All this we say; we assent to with our lips. Do we show such active interest in art as make our words ring true?

Have you seen the Volbert cattle picture? and the Parmarete feeding the chickens? "Evening" too, is a delight, admired by all visitors. They are all worth seeing. Truly some are dreams of beauty. Puzzle out the meaning of "Down by the Riverside" and tell us about it. Many are guessing. No; "Rock Beauties" are not flying fish sailing through a green sky; it is an undersea picture; and

these fish are in their natural element swimming about over a background of pink seashells or pebbles. If you like still-life there is also much here you may frankly admire, as well as some excellent figure painting.

It is a good plan to do as many are doing: get a general impression of all the pictures, then return several times for more individual picture study. This fixes at least a few beautiful impressions.

Down on the Farm  
"Don't you need a scarecrow in sowing time?"  
"No! My wife is generally about!"

## What to Take for Disordered Stomach

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We have a new store with a new spirit! We have faith in our future and believe that 1922 is a year of promise! To this end, therefore, we announce that—

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**STORE CLOSED All day Wednesday to enable us to pre-  
pare for this Store-Wide Revising Sale. As all merchan-  
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offered are unusual and we advise early shopping. See our  
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\$30.00 Brass Beds, special	\$22.50	\$6.50 Metal Springs, all sizes, special	\$4.00
\$28.50 Brass Beds, special	\$21.00	\$8.50 Metal Springs, all sizes, special	\$5.75
\$27.50 Brass Beds, special	\$20.00	\$11.50 Metal Springs, all sizes, specially priced	\$7.75
Choice of \$20.00 and \$18.50 Metal Beds, spe- cial at	\$12.50	\$12.50 Metal Springs, all sizes, specially priced	\$8.50
Choice of \$14.50, \$15.00 and \$16.50 Metal Beds, at	\$10.00	\$12.50 50-lb. Cotton Felt Mattress at	\$8.75
Choice of \$10.00 and \$12.50 Cribbs, special	\$8.00	\$15.00 50-lb. Cotton Felt Mattress, at	\$9.50
\$22.50 50-lb. De Luxe Mattress, extra fine cotton felt and tick, special	\$15.00		
\$7.50 Reversible cotton top and bottom, wood wool center, special	\$5.00		
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# BUSINESS WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING AND SUPPER ENJOYABLE

MONDAY NIGHT the members of the La Crosse Business Woman's club met at the parlors of the Young Woman's Christian association for their regular monthly meeting. At half-past six a most delicious dinner was served. The menu was: vegetable soup, scalloped potatoes, string beans, hot baking powder biscuits, apple jelly, Bavarian cream and coffee. The tables were attractively laid, the light of crimson tapers shedding a pretty glow. Phrases were said for thirty-three. Before and during the meal vocal selections by the club were interspersed.

In observance of milk week, Miss Elsie Buckhardt, county nurse, gave an instructive talk upon milk, milk products and other food building foods, giving their relative health giving value as compared to milk, eggs, cereals and fruit being emphasized as health building factors.

Miss Marsh spoke on the Missions of California, with a little survey of the conditions which led to the founding of the missions, the devoted work of the Franciscan padres for the Indians, and the causes which led to the downfall and ruin of the missions. She gave a short review of the famous mission play which has been given for some weeks every winter for twelve years at San Gabriel, Calif., by Frederick Ward, assisted by 100 players. Following the splendid talk of Miss Marsh, Miss Charlotte Leominis claimed the ladies with three piano numbers, as follows: "Romance" by Bachmanhoff, "Autumn" by Mae Dowell, and "To the Rising Sun" by Tor-Jensen, the last one specially being in accord with the preceding subject, as it seemed to vibrate with the tones of cathedral bells. She was most heartily cheered. Business of the club was then taken up.

THE MOTHERS' CIRCLE of the First Presbyterian church will give a colonial luncheon from three to five on Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors. A special business meeting of the members of the circle is called for 2:45 to plan for the fathers-sons' supper to be held February 28.

THE WILLIAM MUNKLEY roller camp will hold its regular meeting Wednesday evening at the lodge room at the court house. Every member is asked to be in attendance.

MRS. ROBERT KRUEGER, 1410 Benton street, entertained the La Crosse club Friday. Five hundred was played and the favors were won by Mrs. W. Tumble and Mrs. W. H. Allen. A dainty luncheon was served.

THE MISES ANNA Fuchs and Harriet Dunscheke entertained at the home of the former, 5111 South Second street, at a hard times party. Dancing and games afforded the amusements of the evening and at eleven o'clock a delicious luncheon was served. Miss Margaret Knutson won the prize for the most comical costume. The guests were the Miseses Marion Johnson, Margaret Mosser, Helen Haun, Ruth Tausche, Dolores Swanbeck, Irene Bredewitz, Mary Spika, Merilada Fries and Berna Fuchs.

MRS. B. A. REITH, Jr., 821 George street, entertained Sunday in honor of her birthday. The afternoon was merrily spent and at 5:30 a dainty luncheon was served. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames H. Schroeder, Bernard Stahr, Fred Lachmann, Mrs. W. T. Olson and Mrs. C. W. Stine, Misses Florence E. and Ruth Schroeder, Dorothy Reith, Jerome and Vivian Lachmann, Audrey and Betty Olson. The hostess was remembered with many gifts.

The motor club will give.

## GIRLS! USE LEMONS TO WHITEN HANDS

Press the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of cream. White, which any drug store will supply for a few cents, shake well and you have a quarter-pint of harmless and delightful lemon-bleach. Rub on to soften and whiten red, rough or chapped hands. This home-made lemon lotion is far superior to glycerine and rose water to smoothen the skin. Famous stage beauties use it to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rose-white complexion, because it doesn't irritate.

## LIMBERS UP YOUR SORE STIFF JOINTS

WEATHER exposure and hard work bring pains and aches in muscles and joints. Have a bottle of Sloan's Liniment handy and apply freely. Penetrates without rubbing. You will find at once a comforting sense of warmth which will be followed by a relief from the soreness and stiffness of aching joints. Also relieves rheumatism, sciatica, neuralgia, sprains and strains. For forty years pain's enemy. Ask your neighbor.

At all druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.40.

**Sloan's Liniment** Pain's enemy

# City Briefs

Women's hall meeting dance tonight. Marking's saxophone orchestra. Little Monies, Sat. Gabell's Superiors, Sun. Pyorrhea? Consult Dr. Burritt dentist 309-311 State Bank Bldg.

The original Keeley's Old Fashioned Chocolates, fresh shipment, just in. Special for next 10 days, 40c per pound. Steinmetz and Hart.

Mrs. J. P. Coughlin, 1539 Wood street has returned from a visit in Milwaukee.

For Sale: Five room cottage, Elec. lights, sewer and water. 100 45x70, 410 Badger street. Phone 160. Room 301 Batavia Bk. Bldg.

Equip your car with a Safety First Automatic Signal. Call Frank Horstschke, Exclusive Distributor, 1703-M for demonstration.

Your plumbing troubles promptly attended to. W. E. Schram, Phone 46. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Riley, Reussler Ind., are visiting at the home of his father, Wm. Riley, 816 Gillette street.

Sale on Alarm Clocks, \$1.25, Mahogany Dresser Clocks, \$1.75, Roger's Ten spoons, \$1.00, Soup spoons, \$2.00, Set 6 Knives and Forks, \$4.50. See our show window, Hellbach, Jeweler.

Eagles, 8th Anniversary celebration of new home Wednesday evening. Come. Splendid time.

Light Lunches, Elite and Iris. Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Linker Bldg, Hours, 10 to 4, except Sat.

Miss Mildred Russa, Chicago is visiting her parents here.

Colonial Lunch cream chicken etc. 25c. First Pres. Parlors, Wed. from 1:30 to 5:30.

Armory roller rink Wed. night. Post card party. Prize to winners.

Columbia Records Weis Book Store. Try our delicious lunches, Elite and Iris.

Mr. Clarence Pilger has returned from a visit in Hokan.

For Washington's Birthday, "White House Special," a solid brick of Vanilla imbued with crushed cherries. At all dealers. Tri-State Ice Cream Corp.

Roller Skating at Kubat's hall tonight.

Eagles, fly to your nest Wednesday evening. Athletics, and refreshments. You may bring a friend.

Mr. D. Gufory, has returned to his home in Madison after a visit here.

Ask Fourth Building Association, Mystic Workers Card Party, Wed. 2:30 at K. T. Hall.

Dr. Watterson, painless dentist, fills and extrudes teeth without pain.

The civil service commission inquires special attention to the fact that

in examinations held recently in La Crosse, Wisconsin, and other cities throughout the country, for junior engineers and deck officers, United States coast and geodetic survey, and for assistant examiners, percent of the applicants were not secured in the number desired, and that these examinations will again be held on March 22 and 23, except that the examination for assistant examiners will also be held on March 24.

The table is spread. Come let us dine. Washington Supper, Feb. 22, Masonic Temple. Supper served from 5 to 7. Tickets 50c at Herman's.

Prize Masquerade given by the Mystic Workers Hall, Temu, Wed. Feb. 22. Everybody come.

Corporation and individual income tax returns made, examined and checked. Absolute accuracy guaranteed. All returns made or checked by me protected. Office hours, 9 to 12 and 1 to 5. Evening appointments made. 411 Rivoli Bldg. Tel. 461 H. H. Hamilton.

Mrs. F. L. Valentine, 1539 Kane street, is ill at a local hospital.

Arrange with the Gateway City Transfer Co. for baggage, freight and heavy hauling. No evening service.

Use Common Sense. Leave your Photo Finishing at Brand's Drug Store. Mrs. J. D. Squier, 1415 Ayon street, was operated on at Grandview hospital Tuesday morning.

Keeley's Old Fashioned Chocolates regular price 50c, 10 day special price 40c per lb. Fresh shipment just arrived. Steinmetz and Hart.

Osteopathy—Dr. Jorris, Newburg Bz. Collections, Insurance, Loans, L. B. Caweborg Rivoli Bldg.

Elmer Lane and Robert Hake left for Dodge, Chi., where they will spend the balance of the winter hunting and fishing.

A Happy County

New Zealand is a country where every one has a home and each home has a patch of ground around it, and there is room for more. Apartment house life is practically unknown in New Zealand. The activities of the women are all in the direction of home-making.

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GLAD TU MEAT CHU

Soup Meat, at per pound 5c

Cleaned Pigs Feet, per pound 5c

Hearts, at per pound 5c

Beef Stew, at per pound 6c

Kidneys, at per pound 6c

Veal Stew, at per pound 6c

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Pork Shanks, per pound 11c

Pure Lard, at per pound 11c

Beef Pot Roast, per pound 11c

JEHLEN & SONS

121 So. 3rd. Phone 236.

After Dollar Day CLEAN UP

36 pairs Infants' Shoes, black cloth top, button, sizes 3, 3½ and 4, per pair 75c

20 pairs Child's Shoes, sizes 6 to 8, cloth top, button, Clean Up price at pair 85c

29 pairs Ladies' Shoes, in button, round toe, sizes 3, 3½ and 4, at per pair 85c

Ladies' Rubbers, round toe, short vamp, 39c at pair

Men's Shoes, in brown or black, English lace, were \$10.00, at per pair \$3.50

One pair of LADIES' SHOES, round toe, button, with a PAIR OF RUBBERS to fit, the combination for \$1.19

10 pairs Satin Slippers, in white, soled, sizes 3 to 5, at 50c

Men's Hip Boots, made for the army, sizes 7, 9 and 10, on sale at per pair \$2.00

Ladies' Pumps, patent coll. Goodyear well soles, sizes 3 to 6½, at pair \$1.98

Ladies' Oxfords, dress heels, in black or brown, were \$6.00, at per pair \$2.48

Misses' Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2, black or white, at pair 48c

Paulsen Shoe Co.

312 Pearl Street

## TIRE DEALERS IN NEW ORGANIZATION TO PROTECT TRADE

One Purpose of Association is to Keep Out Unscrupulous Tire Dealers

At a meeting held Monday evening in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, attended by the tire merchants of the city, an organization to be known as the La Crosse Tire Dealers' association was formed.

The purpose of the association, according to the constitution adopted, is in part, to advance the tire business of La Crosse on the broadest and most enduring lines, to protect the motorist against unscrupulous tire dealers known as the "gyp dealer" and to co-operate in giving the car owner the most efficient and up-to-date service on his tire equipment.

The local association will affiliate with the Wisconsin State and National Tire Dealers' associations.

The following firms are charter members: Anderson Vulcanizing company, George Tire Depot, Hoffman-Smith Tire company, Holberg-Cornell Tire Service, La Crosse Vulcanizing company, Lehman Tire Service, Jacobson & Poring, Thill Tire & Rubber company.

The following permanent officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, John L. Ash; vice president, H. H. Lehman; secretary and treasurer, B. M. Count.

STATE PIN TOURNAMENT FOR WOMEN OPENS

MADISON, Wis.—Women bowlers of Wisconsin opened their tournament, which is expected to end Tuesday. Booster teams for the women are being organized.

Some of the teams in the regular state tournament, disclosed leaders from their positions.

## WISCONSIN DOCTORS SLOW IN SECURING U. S. LIQUOR PERMITS

MADISON, Wis.—Several hundred doctors are still technically violating the state prohibition law because of their failure to obtain permits to handle intoxicating liquors. W. Stanley Smith, prohibition commissioner said Tuesday that the process of furnishing permits to physicians was being held up in a great number of cases pending recommendation of district attorneys, and of the grant of permits by the federal prohibition department. The grant of state permits to doctors, Mr. Smith said, is dependent upon their first securing their federal authorization to handle liquors. Most druggists have secured state permits and may legally handle intoxicants, the prohibition commissioner's said, while most of the 100 breweries in the state are still without authority to manufacture non-intoxicating beverages which contain less than one-half of one percent of alcohol.

Until all doctors and breweries have had ample time to secure their federal permits and to comply with the all provisions of the state law, Mr. Smith said that no action would be taken against them.

They say a moral wave is sweeping this country. It needs sweeping.

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## GARDEN READY TO RESIGN AS HEAD OF OPERA COMPANY

NEW YORK.—By The Associated Press.—Mary Garden intends to resign her position as director of the Chicago Opera company at the close of the current season if some one can be found to take her place, but she expects to continue with the company as an artist, "where she belongs and knows she belongs" it was announced Tuesday by her secretary, Howard E. Potter. "I do" is a life sentence.

FANCY FLORIDA Grape Fruit Swastika Brand

This is the finest fruit shipped out of Florida. Try them, ask your grocer or

JOHN C. BURNS FRUIT HOUSE

## You Should Protect Yourself

AGAINST a possible shutdown of coal mining April 1 as the result of a strike by the miners in an effort to maintain present wages. Conditions make it impossible for us to store coal to cover the strike period.

Lower prices on coal can be looked for after the strike terminates so buy before April 1 only sufficient coal to carry you over the chilly days of spring.

Prices are today as low as they will be until wage adjustments are made subsequent to a strike which today seems inevitable. Place your orders NOW.

## WHITEBREAST COAL CO.

JNO. C. BURNS, Pres.; F. W. FOX, Vice-Pres.; J. D. BECKER, Secy-Treas.

217 CASS STREET

# Fathers and Mothers of La Crosse IT'S UP TO YOU

Are you paying enough attention to YOUR CHILDREN'S FOOD?

Do they eat ANY kind of food? or Do they eat the RIGHT kind of food?

ARE YOU GETTING THESE RESULTS?

HEALTHY BODIES—supplied with—ENERGY and HEAT  
STRONG BONES—SOUND TEETH—RESTED NERVES.

Milk Week Campaign Points to HEALTH WAY

## LA CROSSE COUNTY MILK WEEK

FEBRUARY 27th to MARCH 5th

READ ABOUT MILK WEEK!  
TALK MILK WEEK!  
DO EVERYTHING YOU CAN TO MAKE IT THE SUCCESS IT DESERVES.





## OSER KIN LOCATED IN MILWAUKEE BY A NEWSPAPER MAN

Relatives of Man Who Will Wed  
Mathilde McCormick Deny  
He is a Nobleman

AGE OF BRIDEGROOM-TO-BE  
DECLARED TO BE FORTY.

McCormick Family Denies that  
Oser is Fifty-seven

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Relatives of Max Oser, Swiss riding master, who is to marry Mathilde McCormick, 17-year-old daughter of Harold P. McCormick, and granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller, were found in Milwaukee Monday by a reporter for the Journal. The relatives deny that Oser is the son of a nobleman, and declare that he is the son of Frederick Oser, a pastor and a poet.

Mrs. Martha Knieke was found in the old Burgundy home at 528 Prairie street. She is 62 years old, and was going into the basement of the home, which is in a factory district, to do the family washing when the reporter called.

"Yes, Max is a relative of mine by marriage," she said. "He is the son of Frederick Oser. Frederick's brother, Sebastian, was the first of the family to come to this country. Sebastian came over here with a number of brothers and together they worked as lumberjacks in Wisconsin. Later they went to New Orleans together and there they swore an oath that they would stick together until they all returned to Switzerland."

**Tells Family History**

"They started speculating in cotton in New Orleans and they were prospering. Then they swore that if any of them should die before returning, his share of profits would go to the others of the partnership. The reason they did this, I have been told, was because they were in risky business and wanted to keep all the money together so that they could protect their heirs."

"Yellow fever hit the city and all of them but Sebastian died. Shortly after that he had amassed a fortune of more than \$1,000,000 and he returned to Basel. There he fell in love with a widow, Mme. Marie Burg von der Muehl, and married her. Her maiden name was Burg, and she was my aunt."

"When Sebastian died he left one-third of his fortune to Frederick, his brother, and the father of Max. Max must now have a large portion of this money. We used to keep in touch with the family, but have not done so for a number of years."

"I believe that my aunt's first husband was of the nobility, but Max is not her son, as has been reported in some newspapers."

"I am not expecting John D. to call on me immediately after the wedding."

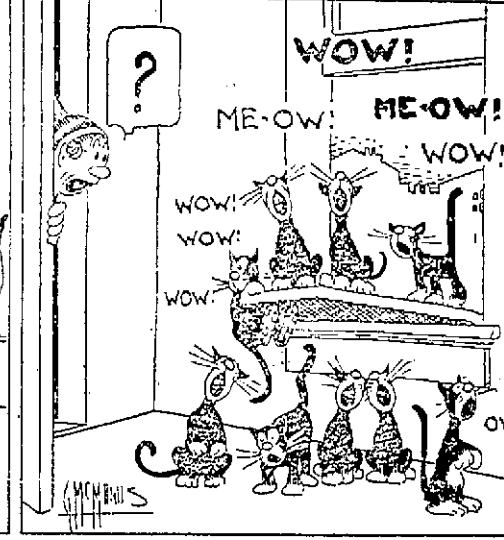
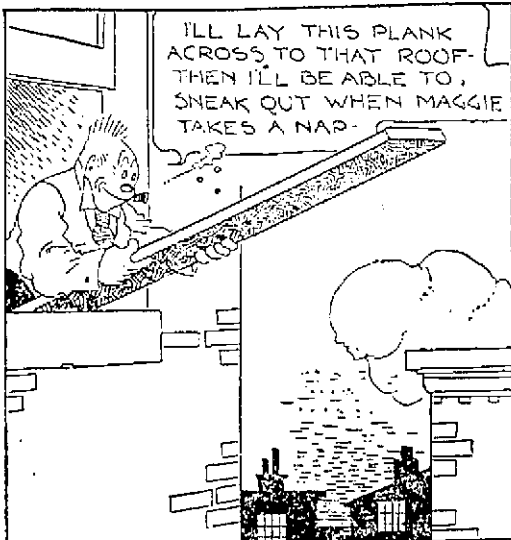
**Oser 40 Say McCormicks**

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Ill.—Miss Mathilde McCormick, 16-year-old daughter of Harold P. McCormick, president of the International Harvester company, spent Monday in bed, resting from the excitement attendant on obtaining her family's consent to marry Max Oser of Berne, Switzerland, proprietor of a riding academy at Zurich.

From the old McCormick mansion.

## BRINGING UP FATHER



where Miss McCormick is living with her father, who moved there following his recent divorce from Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick, further details of the international romance were gleaned.

First and foremost, the family fixed Mr. Oser's age at 40 years, contradicting statements of Edith Burg, a Chicago interior decorator, who claims to be a cousin of Mr. Oser. Burg told newspapermen that Mr. Oser was 57 years old, although previous dispatches from abroad had fixed his age at 48.

Both guesses were wrong, the McCormick family announced. Howard A. Colby, a friend of Mr. McCormick, who gave the facts to the Associated Press, said:

**A Young Man**

"Mr. McCormick knows Mr. Oser personally. He is only 40 years old and full of mustard and pep. This stuff about his being an old man is all bosh. He is really a young man and Miss Mathilde is a very mature young lady. It is not like marrying the average 16-year-old girl. Everybody is much pleased with the engagement."

Miss McCormick, who was born in 1905, will be 17 years old on April 8 next.

The date of her return to Switzerland has not been decided, Mr. Colby said. Her future plans will not be considered until tomorrow or the next day. It is probable, he said, that Miss McCormick, her father and Mr. Colby will go south for a few weeks.

Asked whether Miss McCormick

would wait until she is 18 to marry, Mr. Colby said:

"That point has not been decided as yet. Of course she can marry whenever she wants to. I understand the legal age for girls in Switzerland is 16 years. In Illinois girls marry with their parents' consent at 16."

**BANK MESSENGER ROBBED**

NEW YORK.—William A. Russell, messenger for the Greenwich bank, was robbed of \$22,000 in currency by an automobile bandit who boarded the truck in which he was transporting the money to a downtown bank. The robbery occurred on Nineteenth street near Seventh avenue.

**Manner of Administering**

A cowboy living near Big Strangler was complaining to the new school

marin about his stiff legs.

"I think," he said, "a course in del-

serto would benefit you."

"How do you take that?" he asked.

"Do you take it with a spoon or does

it come in capsules?"

"It's the kind of thing," she replied.

"That you shake while taking."—Union

Pacific Bulletin.

**Cannot Remove Relics**

By legislation, the Peruvian Govern-

ment has forbidden the removal of

all archeological relics of the Inca

and Peruvian civilizations. Any sci-

entific investigations of this character

must be conducted under the super-

vision of the government and special

permission must be secured by the in-

vestigators.

## Public Debate

STRONG FOR NORMANNA

Editor:

The "Infinite One" in his goodness has made the whole world vocal with sweet sounds. The untutored forest echoes the notes of the wild bird, and the habitations of men are made glad by the sweet warblings of eager singers.

But above all, the human voice, which combines the highest charms of sweet sounds with the inspiration of thought, is given not alone for the ordinary purposes of human pleasure. Its whispers of affection, how grateful; its expression of religious devotion, how exalted; its solace in trouble, how dear; its participation in joy, how unspeakable.

Vocal music is the heritage of all classes. It is humanizing and harmonizing. It renders home interest- ing, attractive and beautiful. It speaks the language of the heart.

Its meaning goes deep. Who can express the effect it has on us. A kind of inarticulate, untranslatable speech, which leads us to the edge of the infinite and lets us, for a moment, gaze out into that.

For more than fifty years Normanna Saenger has been striving to bring the people of our city to a consciousness of this precious heritage.

It fills our hearts with pride to know that these men are citizens of our country and valued members of the religious, social and economic life of our city. They come from various responsible walks in life. Some of them are past the age of "three score and ten," but their hearts are still young. Others are approaching middle age, while still others are of the type of young manhood who wish to perpetuate the ideals of their fathers. They are a splendid company. Through all the years they have stood not only for the best in music, but for every- thing that is best in community life.

In all the great music centers of the west their voices have been heard and appreciated.

Miss Louise Knudson, pianist, is well and favorably known to music lovers of La Crosse. Special training and natural aptitude specially fit her for the role she is to fill.

Mr. Joel Mosberg, baritone, of Chicago, who is the soloist of the evening, will assist Normanna to do its best work.

Mr. E. O. Forseth, the versatile director of Normanna, needs no introduction. His name stands for quality in music. Harmony, execution, and expression approach perfection under his skillful direction.

Long life to Normanna! Let every seat at their concert be filled. Let us show their director, officers, and members that we appreciate real music, and that we are willing to do all that lies within our power to send them to the great song festival to be held at Sioux City next summer.

In doing this we will show that we have not forgotten the generous

interest Normanna has always shown in all worthy enterprises in La Crosse. We will do more. We will help to keep La Crosse on the map as a musical city.

From "A Progressive Citizen."

—D. H. SHEPARDSON.

OBENCHAIN PUT OVER

UNTIL THURSDAY

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—Illness of witnesses and physical condition of the jury and attorneys caused post-ponement of the trial of Mrs. Madeline Obenchain here until Thursday, on the charge of murdering J. Belmont Kennedy here last August.

ST. LOUIS FIRM FAILS

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy Monday was filed in federal court against the Best-Clymer Manufacturing company, a \$2,000,000 corporation and a subsidiary of the Tempier Corn and Fruit Products company, a receiver for which was appointed Saturday.

## Read this Health Message at once! Know what Nature's Food can do for you!

Every man, woman and child addicted to pills and cathartics for constipation should know that Kellogg's Bran, cooked and krumbled, will give permanent relief naturally if they will eat it regularly! Pills and cathartics can never do more than give temporary relief, and at the same time they aggravate the delicate intestinal pathway and pave the way for graver disorders.

Kellogg's Bran, cooked and krumbled, is simply nature's food, and made delicious and appetizing by the Kellogg process. Eat it as a very appetizing cereal or sprinkle it on your favorite cereal or on other food. Your physician will indorse the consistent use of bran for constipation. We guarantee that Kellogg's Bran will give permanent relief to every

sufferer from constipation if at least two tablespoonsful are eaten each day. For chronic cases, eat as much as is necessary.

Kellogg's Bran sweeps and cleanses without discomfort. Its natural mechanical action is wonderful. Ninety per cent of all human ailments would be eliminated and there would be a new and better race of people if bran was universally eaten daily.

Kellogg's Bran can be used in many delightful foods such as bran bread, pancakes (the best you ever ate), macaroons, etc. See recipes on each package. Buy it at your grocer's.

P. S.—Kellogg's Bran will clear up a pimply complexion and free the breath from obnoxious intestinal odors!

Durability, Tone Quality and Simplicity of Operation are three features to be carefully considered in selecting a

## PLAYER-PIANO



All of these will be found in the Pianos and Player-Pianos we sell. The many satisfied customers are a sure guide and undisputed argument that our Pianos and Player-Pianos are first choice.

Our range of prices and liberal Payment Plan place them within reach of all.

OLD PIANOS TAKEN IN EXCHANGE.

**Fred Leithold Piano Co.**  
325 Main St., La Crosse, Wis.

## Helps digestion —and cleans a coated tongue

Thousands of men and women have found relief from various digestive disturbances by eating Fleischmann's Yeast.

It is human nature to want to find out "why." So far as science can tell us this is the reason:

Fleischmann's Yeast is a food abundant in certain elements which are necessary to health and life itself. It promotes the flow of bile and of pancreatic juice. It has a remarkably beneficial effect on the whole digestive process. It cleans a coated tongue.

Try Fleischmann's fresh yeast in orange juice or in milk. Men like it in milk shakes and malted milks. Women like it spread on bread or crackers.

Keep your digestion in the pink of condition and your tongue clean and healthy by eating 2 or 3 cakes of Fleischmann's Yeast fresh every day before or between meals. Beware of the "Fleischmann's Yeast" the familiar tin-foil package with the yellow label. Place a standing order with your grocer today.

USE COMMON SENSE  
TRADE ON  
12th & JACKSON

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## Make your dreams come true

Every girl has blissful dreams of success and popularity—of the flowers and books and candy and dates which proclaim her a social success.

She sees herself admired, the center of attention. What heartache and disappointment if these dreams should not come true!

Many a girl misses this popularity because of some defect she herself doesn't realize. A dull, coarse, lifeless skin lessens attractiveness—blisters and blackheads positively repel.

Remedy these disfigurements, transform your unattractive complexion into one of radiant freshness and see what a good time you have at your next party.

It is the charm which always attracts which all women envy and men admire.

**This isn't hard to do**

The smooth, fresh, blooming complexion which makes an otherwise plain girl pretty isn't a gift of Nature, but a matter of care.

You can't neglect your skin and expect to keep it blooming and alluring. The powder and rouge you use to conceal defects deceive nobody.

The remedy for a coarse skin, for one disfigured with blackheads or ugly blotches, is daily cleansing with a lather blended from palm and olive oils.

Such a cleanser is so mild and soothing that it softens the skin and keeps it smooth. But it removes the accumulations of dirt, oil and perspiration which are responsible for most bad complexions.

**Get a cake of Palmolive today**

It is the modern combination of the same beautifying cosmetic oils Cleopatra used in the days of ancient Egypt. It is just as valuable today as a beautifying cleanser.

Massage its smooth, creamy lather softly into the network of tiny pores which compose the surface of your skin. It will remove the clogging deposits which enlarge these pores, cause blackheads and invite blotches.

After this thorough cleansing is the

time to apply cold cream if you need it. You can safely use powder and that becoming touch of rouge on a clean skin.

**Don't neglect throat and shoulders**

Care of your skin must extend beyond the face if you want to be admired for complexion beauty. Use Palmolive for your daily bath and let it do for your body what it does for your face.

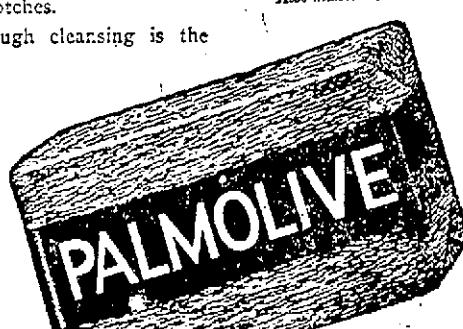
It will keep your neck and shoulders smooth, and your arms and hands soft and white. These are attractions as conspicuous as a blooming, blemishless face.

**This beauty treatment costs little**

Judge Palmolive by quality and you will expect to pay at least 25 cents a cake. But the popularity which keeps the Palmolive factories working day and night naturally reduces cost. Quantity production is always economical.

Thus this finest facial soap is offered at 10 cents a cake—a price all can afford. You can economically use Palmolive for every toilet purpose, for it costs no more than ordinary soap.

THE PALMOLIVE COMPANY  
MILWAUKEE, U. S. A.  
THE PALMOLIVE COMPANY OF CANADA, Limited  
TORONTO, ONT.  
Also makers of a complete line of toilet articles



Volume and efficiency produce 25-cent quality for only 10c

## SPARTA COUNTRY CLUB PICKS HEADS BUSY YEAR IS SEEN

Many Improvements Have Been Made to Clubhouse and Grounds

## LEGION AND AUXILIARY TO CELEBRATE ON FEBRUARY 22

Mrs. Kyle is Chosen President of Parent-Teachers' Association

SPARTA, Wis.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Country Club, Inc., all the directors were re-elected, viz: H. S. McGiffin, T. P. Abel, W. T. Jefferson, H. J. Masters, D. L. Jones, L. D. Evenson, and L. W. Parsons.

The directors then elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, H. S. McGiffin; vice president, H. J. Masters; secretary-treasurer, L. W. Parsons.

**Club House Improved**  
The affairs of the club are in a very prosperous condition. Many improvements have been made the past year on the property, the club house has been enlarged, a new kitchen completely equipped, electric lights have been installed at the club house and grounds, the grounds and buildings have been connected with the city water supply, a hydrant has been put in at every putting green, and many changes and improvements have been made at the lake front, on the fairways and other parts of the property. The members are looking forward to a most pleasant and prosperous season this year.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Criville L. Arnold post of the American Legion held an enthusiastic meeting in the post rooms in Assembly hall, last week, and discussed plans for the joint meeting of the legion and the auxiliary to be held, Wednesday evening, February 22. A number of new members was taken into the organization. A temporary charter has been granted the organization, and the work is progressing satisfactorily.

**Parent-Teachers Elect**  
At the Parent-Teachers' meeting held at the Central High school building last Thursday night, Mrs. Harvey Kyle was elected president of the organization in place of Mrs. William E. Davis who resigned on account of ill health.

Mrs. Rodenhuis had charge of the program, which consisted of an interesting and helpful address by Rev. Joseph S. Morris, pastor of the Congregational church, sales by Mrs. James W. Spradling and Dorothy Rule, and songs by a group of girls from the grades. A volunteer committee of four served refreshments.

**Sparta Social Notes**  
The Bon Kensington club met on Thursday with Mrs. F. Dims.

The Entre Nous were guests of Mrs. T. P. Abel Tuesday.

The Bridge club met Wednesday with Mrs. Carl McFarland.

The Five Hundred club met Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hansopher.

The H. H. M. club met Wednesday with Mrs. Fred Steele on Main street.

Mrs. E. A. Richardson and W. T. Jefferson entertained informally Friday and Saturday afternoon, at the home of the latter.

The Angelo Cemetery association will give an oyster supper Wednesday evening, February 22, at the Angelo church, for the benefit of having a new well put down at the cemetery.

Mrs. W. T. Jefferson and Miss Sally Jefferson entertained at bridge Tuesday evening, complimentary to Mrs. Mahlon Jefferson of Black River Falls.

Mrs. A. J. Wash was hostess to a number of friends at a luncheon at the Sidney Saturday noon. Following the luncheon the ladies played bridge and did fancy work.

The Ladies Aid society of the Norwegian church met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Charles Prante, on Pine street.

Fred Herman was pleasantly surprised at his home Thursday evening of last week. The date was his birthday. A number of friends and neighbors enjoyed an oyster supper with him.

Eleven of his gentleman friends surprised Mr. John Geretti, at his home Friday evening, to help him celebrate his birthday. Mrs. Geretti was advised of their coming and had a sumptuous meal prepared for them. The evening was spent playing cards.

Mrs. Z. K. Jewell very pleasantly entertained the Alexandrian club at her home on East Montgomery street, last Tuesday.

St. John's Guild met with Mrs. W. W. Hlaton Friday.

Mrs. David Hemstock entertained the Home Study club at her home, Tuesday afternoon, at a Valentine party.

The N. and C. club and their husbands enjoyed a picnic supper at the

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## John D. Accepts Swiss Riding-Master As Grandson; Wants Him U. S. Citizen

CHICAGO, Ill.—John D. Rockefeller has given his approval to the engagement of his daughter Matilde McCormick, 16-year-old daughter of Harold P. McCormick, to Max Oser, Swiss riding master. It became known here Tuesday. Approved was given in a brief telegram, it was said, and it was reported also that he had expressed a wish that Oser become an American citizen. On this latter point there was no information forthcoming from the McCormick family.

New alleged relatives of Oser appeared in Chicago Monday in the persons of Mrs. August Pol, her daughter, Lottie Doerschner, and Mrs. Doerschner's nine months old baby, Doris. Mrs. Pol says her husband was a first cousin of Max Oser.

Emil Burg, the first Chicagoan to announce his relationship to Oser, called at the McCormick home but was informed that Mr. McCormick and his daughter Matilde were not receiving on Monday, it was said.

home of Mrs. Scott Edwards Sunday. It was the lady's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benedict and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson entertained about fifty of their friends at a dancing and card party at the Hotel Briggison Friday evening. It was a most enjoyable occasion.

Sixteen couples of the friends of Mrs. A. Berg surprised her Monday evening, coming with well filled baskets for a picnic supper, a fern pedestal for a birthday gift, and also bringing a huge birthday cake.

## LEAGUE BANQUET IS WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY EVENT

With Harry Spence acting as toastmaster, the eleventh annual banquet of the Progressive League is an assured success. The banquet will be held in the church parlors of the Trinity Lutheran Church, corner of Charles and Hill streets, Wednesday evening, February 22nd at 7 o'clock.

The programme of the evening will be:

"The Man Forsquare"—Roy Kinney, Sec. Y. M. C. A.

"The High School and The Community"—Prof. Wiley.

"Community Spirit"—L. P. Robinson.

"Respect for Law"—Otto Schlabach.

The banquet will be served by the ladies of the Trinity Church, and an exceptionally good menu has been prepared.

The tickets for this event, contrary to the usual conditions are all sold out. The committee regrets that they were not able to accommodate all those who desired to attend owing to the limited available quarters.

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## PURITY FEDERATION WILL HOLD MEETING IN CITY THIS WEEK

Budget for World Work to be Decided Upon at Meeting Wednesday and Thursday

A meeting of the executive board of the World's Purity Federation, with headquarters in La Crosse, has been called in this city February 22 and 23. This board is the governing body of the federation, and at this particular session will outline the work for the coming two years, adopt a budget covering the same period, appoint the various committee chairman and members of its council, and pass upon all business matters requiring attention.

The board consists of the following:

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thirteen members: Rev. T. Albert Moore, D. D., general secretary of the department of evangelism and social service in the Methodist church of Canada, Toronto; Bishop Cyrus J. Kephart, Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. Kate Walker Barrett, president, National Florence Crittenton Mission, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Edwin H. Pratt, Chicago; Dr. Sara B. DeWitt, Kitchener, Ontario; O. R. Miller, superintendent, New York Civic League, Albany; Rev. Canon Charles W. Verma, Toronto, Ontario; Dr. Albert L. Mowry, Chicago; Dr. W. D. Lawrence, Minneapolis; Mr. Fred Gernert, Louisville, Ky.; A. J. D. Haupt, D. D., executive secretary, Home Protective Association, St. Paul; Elizabeth Hamilton Muncie, Brooklyn, N. Y.; and B. S. Steadwell of La Crosse. Several other prominent members of the federation are expected to attend including Miss Belle H. Mix of Iowa; Maecie Greg-

ory of England, who has returned to the city from New York for the meeting; Prof. O. O. Stueger, Red Wing, Minn.; and Frances Howlett Wright of Washington, D. C.

It is not expected that all members of the board will be present at the meeting in La Crosse, but as seven members or their proxies are required for a quorum, at least that number must be present. The board will meet at the headquarters of the federation, 629 South Third street.

**Wedding Ring of a Royal Princess**  
The wedding ring of gold washed down from a Welsh river north of Dolgelly, a location which has been yielding gold for a great many years, but never in sufficient quantities to make

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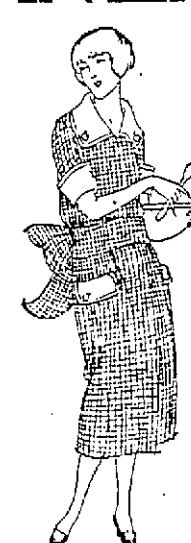
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You will be delighted with the new styles this Spring. Many new popular models are in this showing. There are dresses of plain and checked gingham as well as stripes and plaids—many with the much desired wide sashes and large pockets—cleverly trimmed with contrasting materials for novelty trimmings. Make it a point to see these new frocks while the assortments are complete.

Novelty Apron Dresses

PRICES RANGING FROM

\$1.29 to \$3.48

Beautiful new style Aprons so cleverly set off with trimmings that they have every appearance of house dresses. There is a wide assortment of pretty patterns and colors of finest gingham, in plaids, small and large checks and figured effects, trimmed with finishing braids or contrasting materials in novel ways. The large pockets and wide sashes are an added feature.

New Bungalow Aprons

UNUSUAL VALUES AT

98c

One never has too many Aprons. You will agree when you see these new Aprons that they are unusual values at this low price. All well made of attractive light and dark colored percales, large or small plaids and checks. Rick-rack braid is featured as a trimming. An excellent opportunity to purchase a plentiful supply for spring.

Girls' Wash Dresses

FOR SCHOOL WEAR

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You will be pleased with the pretty Spring styles in Girls' School Dresses. All are well made of good quality gingham in small and large checks, plaids and stripes, also plain chambrays, beautifully trimmed with contrasting materials. Every school girl is keenly interested in them when they are at their newest. The unusual low prices are of special interest to mothers.

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### WITH THE CLUBS IN TRAINING

CHICAGO, Ill.—Rain held up the workout schedule for the opening day of the training season for the Chicago Nationals at Cicero Island off the California coast Monday, according to dispatches received here.

Pitcher Cress, a Los Angeles sand lotter, discovered by Scout Jack Doyle, joined the squad, increasing the number of twirlers to 17.

CHICAGO, Ill.—The Chicago

### EMIL KABAT WILL TAKE ON VINGERS IN BOXING BOUT

Emil Kabat, noted boxer with the A. B. C. Monday night accepted the challenge of Fred Vingers, champion of the local post of the American Legion, for a decision bout to be staged under the auspices of the Legion at one of its regular meetings.

M. D. Savage, chairman of the athletic committee, will arrange the bout. Kabat accepts the challenge with the privilege of having a period of three weeks for training.

### HALF OF PUPILS IN GRADES DRINK COFFEE EACH DAY

Survey Discovers Some Startling Facts About Failure to Use Milk in City Homes

THE above survey of the city Public schools exclusive of the parochial, but including the grades at the Normal, speaks for itself.

Over Half Drink Coffee

That 2272 children were included in this survey is interesting and when you see that 1719 of these children drink 1 1/2 cups of coffee per child daily or to carry the figures on out a little further 55 percent of one child out of every two children in the grades in La Crosse Schools drink coffee daily.

There is one school with 53 children in the kindergarten, 20 drink milk occasionally; 6 drink milk daily; 29 drink coffee daily. When you see these figures you wonder what kind of a body is being built for these children to live and grow in?

Milk for the Teeth

Milk is rich in lime or as it is best known calcium. Calcium is a vital necessity for building strong bones and sound teeth. It is the best material to use to build strong bodies with. This material can best be obtained from milk.

Do you mothers suppose you could make your Mary or Johnnie eat two cups of carrots every day in the year? Just what parent would promise to coax her small child to perform this task? Yet that is exactly what Mary or Johnnie would have to do to get the same amount of this lime, this building material contained in milk, to build strong well-encased teeth.

Dr. Dorothy Reed Nesselhauf of Madison, who is known to many La Crosse people and who was chosen by Miss Lathrop of The National Children's Bureau during the war to advise upon the feeding of infants when the campaign was put over for the weighing and measuring of all children in the U. S. under 7 years, says: "Children must have calcium with which to build their teeth and milk drinking is the best way for them to get it, for milk is higher in calcium content than other foods."

Of course there are many good wholesome foods that will supply some calcium but to all except milk the percentage is so low that it would be quite an undertaking to plan a diet equal in calcium to one pint of milk which would be right in other respects and which would be agreeable to the child's tastes."

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### MILK SURVEY OF CITY SCHOOLS MADE BY LA CROSSE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

	Washington	Jefferson	Lincoln	Washington	Hamilton	Logan	Webster	Logan	Franklin	N. Branch	Normal	Total
No. of pupils reporting	308	339	334	351	451	318	209	285	444	61	171	3272
No. drinking milk occasionally	41	71	51	53	79	129	78	9	106	6	23	777
No. drinking milk daily	226	216	229	292	317	178	101	172	214	42	136	2133
Average No. of cups per child	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
No. drinking tea or coffee	113	217	199	196	232	138	120	178	212	37	37	1719
Average No. cups per child	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.9	1.5	2.3	1.7	2.2	1.7	2.5	1.7
No. using butter	292	321	326	343	446	305	180	272	419	61	171	3119

### GALESVILLE HIGH TRIMS LA CROSSE SECOND TEAM 29-14

Up-Staters Have Cleyer Aggregation This Year; Locals Unaccustomed to Small Floor

After the hard battle with Madison Friday night, only one of the La Crosse high men who played in that game made the trip to Galesville Saturday night to participate in a regular scheduled game with Galesville high.

The first team stabs and a few from the second team made the trip in taxis. When they started the game they found they were meeting a hard proposition as Galesville was out in full force with their linemen and determined to cop the bacon, which they did by a score of 29 to 14. The floor was very small and not to the local quint's liking. They were fairly lost the first half due to the unfamiliarity with the floor. The contest of bounds existed only on one end while on the other it was a jump ball or a fight for the ball amongst the crowd. Boyle, La Crosse's stellar guard, rejoined in the latter style of play. La Crosse came back in the second half, making all their points during that period. These were all long shots from the other end of the floor.

Galesville played a very good game, being well posted on the advantageous points of the small gym. They displayed fast short passing and a good "eye," making the majority of their shots from near the basket. Galesville this year has a team of unusual ability at the floor game, and will bid high for the district tournament should they enter next month. Johnson sank the greatest number of field goals for Galesville, and Tobias led in scoring for La Crosse.

Those representing La Crosse on this trip were: Hinds and Harrier, forwards; Tobias, center; Boyle and Oulman, guards; Sims, Abraham, Mackay, Affeldt, and Lisovsky.

### PLANS COMPLETED FOR HIGH SCHOOL ICE SKATING MEET

CHICAGO, Ill.—Plans have been completed for the national interschool high school skating championships to be held here Saturday. It was announced Tuesday by the committee in charge and reception committees have been appointed to meet the Cleveland, New York, Milwaukee and Detroit teams that will take part in the meet, upon their arrival here. The Cleveland contingent is expected Wednesday, the New York and Detroit teams on Thursday and the Milwaukee representatives on Friday.

### EITHER VALPARAISO OR PONTIAC GIVEN EIGHTH FRANCHISE

CHICAGO, Ill.—Either Valparaiso or Pontiac will be given the eighth franchise in the Mid-west Baseball association, it became known Tuesday following the meeting of the association Monday at which Racine was given the seventh place, Logan Square, Marquette, Minors, Lyons, Joliet, Kenosha, and Beloit the teams in the circuit last year, all had representatives at the meeting and delegations from the other three cities were also present. It has not been indicated yet which team will be given the remaining franchise.

### ISSUE ENTRY BLANKS FOR ANNUAL NATIONAL SWIM COMPETITION

CHICAGO, Ill.—Entry blanks for the annual national interscholastic swimming championships to be held at the Illinois Athletic club April 6, have been issued. Competition is open to all high schools and academies in the United States.

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ST. LOUIS, Mo.—The order of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio, banning bobbed hair and short skirts was not promulgated because of an objection to present styles but to eliminate extravagant dress competition among girl employees. Frederick E. Patterson, president, said Monday. Mr. Patterson is here holding conferences with salesmen.

"An investigation revealed many girls had dependents to support," Mr. Patterson explained, "and consequently could not afford the extravagant attire of girls having only themselves to support. No prudish

### FRED BAUM WINS SKATING EVENT AT COPELAND PARK

Fred Baum won the skating race at Copeland park from Left Mahlum in a matter of about six feet last Saturday afternoon. The race was for the championship of the city. The time was 5 minutes and 40 seconds. Prizes were donated by M. Lokken, A. Holgeson and P. Gaffin and Maule.

### STECHER AND YOUNG ZBYSKO TO MEET AT M. S. G. TONIGHT

NEW YORK.—Joe Stecher, who formerly held the world's heavyweight wrestling championship and Wladek Zbyszko, younger brother of the present titleholder, will meet Tuesday night in Madison Square Garden. The contest is to be decided by the best two falls in three.

### WHITE TO MEET LEONARD AFTER BEATING JACKSON

NEW YORK.—By virtue of his victory Monday night over Willie Jackson, one of New York's most aggressive lightweights, Charlie White of Chicago, is to meet Benny Leonard in a little contest at Madison Square Garden on March 17.

Charlie's left hook which floored Jackson three times in the thirteenth round of Monday night's bout, once upset Leonard in a bout at Benton Harbor, Mich. Leonard, however, knocked out White in a later round.

### MICHIGAN DOWNS INDIANA FIVE IN A LOOSE GAME, 24-16

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—Michigan reversed its recent basketball defeat at the hands of Indiana by trouncing the Hoosier here Monday night, 24 to 16, in a rugged Big Ten game. Poor shooting kept the Michigan score low. Miller was the leading scorer with two baskets and six free throws out of seven attempts.

ST. PAUL, Minn.—J. D. Bick of St. Paul won the singles championship and B. G. Herbertson and A. Peterson of St. Paul the doubles championship in the international association's tournament.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—Tully Miller, St. Paul heavyweight, won his bout from Captain Bob Roper, Chicago, on a foul.

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### FRATERNAL BOWLING LEAGUE

The B. P. O. E., the K. P.'s and the Eagles won three games from the D. O. K. K. G. S. Low Twelve and Kiwanis in the Fraternal Bowling League Monday evening. The B. P. O. E. S No. 45 won three from the Rotary by default. The scores:

B. P. O. E. S. No. 2008

Werninger	125	177	204
Brink	125	156	182
Pries	125	156	182
Shirven	125	156	182
Handicap	75	75	75
Totals	750	750	750

D. O. K. K. G. S.

R. Black	125	177	147
W. Black	125	156	182
O. Black	125	156	182
Wittenberg	125	156	182
Handicap	51	65	61
Totals	605	657	691

K. P. O. E.

Knutson	125	177	147
Wohl	125	156	182
Gibson	125	156	182
Freng	125	156	182
Handicap	28	21	15
Totals	672	607	620

LOW TWELVE

Coleman	125	177	147
Lienleken	125	156	182
Kohlhaas	125	156	182
Whitrow	125	156	182
Handicap	45	37	40
Totals	621	676	677

KIWANIS

Stewart	125	177	147
Landgren	125	156	182
Stoll	125	156	182
Low score	125	156	182
Totals	621	676	677

EAGLES

Poehling	125	177	147
Klawitter	125	156	182
Stewburg	125	156	182
Klawitter	125	156	182
Handicap	110	150	194
Totals	621	676	677

D. C. G. S. No. 45

J. Cernak	125	177	147
L. Brink	125	156	182
P. Brady	125	156	182
A. Cuts	125	156	182
Handicap	131	167	143
Totals	621	676	677

ROTARY

NEW YORK.—Edmond Routh of France defeated Edgar T. Appleby of New York in their match in the international 28.2 ball line amateur tournament.

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## WOMEN OF STATE BEING SCHOOLED IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

Educational Course in Politics  
Issued by Women's Progressive Association

MADISON, Wis.—Progressive women of Wisconsin are being given an educational course in politics. During the past week the Wisconsin Women's Progressive Association have issued a book entitled "A Progressive Primer" designed to instruct the women of state in their duties as citizens and in the art of lawmaking. As an appendix to the little booklet, which is being distributed, is an encyclopedia of what different political terms mean in Wisconsin. For example the following definitions are indicative:

"Progressive"—Advancing by successive steps or degrees. The progressive in politics is one who sees what the next steps are in bringing a better civilization and who knows how to take these steps without being retarded.

"Non-Partisan"—Not controlled by party or party interests.

"Stalwart"—Republican. Name which the machine element of the Republican party called themselves for the first time in January 1921.

"The aim of this little primer," says Miss Ada James, president of the League, "is to give to the women of the state, through a few examples, an understanding of what has been accomplished in the progressive movement, and to show them how they can use their power in politics. It points out the interdependence between the business of getting a thing done and the business of politics. We hope that it will awaken in women, a realization of the necessity of making themselves count through the ballot, through holding office through influencing legislation, and through participating in the enforcement of laws. The primer is an inspirational index to the progressive movement in Wisconsin."

This book lists the great people of Wisconsin as follows:

Robert M. La Follette, Charles K. Adams, Albert R. Hall, Charles McCarthy, Silas L. Lamson, George C. Adams, Jemima Rusk, Henry C. Payne, Stephen M. Babcock, John Bascom, Frank Hutchins, John D. Winslow, Solomon J. Jensen, W. D. Board, George W. Peck, Philenus Sawyer, John Spooner, Lavina Goodell, Carrie Chapman Catt, Olympia Brown, Mrs. Robert M. La Follette, Zora Gale, Mrs. Louis T. Harney, Frances Willard, Mrs. Victor Berger, and Ada James.

### TODAY'S BEAUTY HINT

It is not necessary to shampoo your hair so frequently if it is entirely and properly cleansed each time by the use of a really good shampoo. The easiest to use and quickest drying shampoo that we can recommend to our readers is one that brings out all the natural beauty of the hair and may be enjoyed at very little expense, by dissolving a teaspoonful of camellia which can be obtained from any druggist, in a cup of hot water. This makes a full cup of shampoo liquid, enough so it is easy to apply it to all the hair instead of just to the top of the head. This, when rubbed into the scalp and onto every strand of hair, chemically dissolves all impurities. It is very soothing and cooling in its action, as well as beneficial to both scalp and hair. After rinsing out the lather so created, you will find the scalp is fresh, clean and free from dandruff while the hair dries quickly and evenly, developing a bright luster and a soft fluffiness that makes it seem very heavy.

## NOVELTIES SHOWN IN VAUDEVILLE AT MAJESTIC THEATER

A vaudeville bill which contains several decided novelties is on at the Majestic for the first half of the week.

The La Vines are first on the bill with a lovely act called "White, Black and White." The unusual feature of this number is that the woman in the act is the "understander" in all of the strong arm work, that is she does all the floor work, while her male partner does the aerial stunts. Two trained dogs are used in the act.

A musical act is next presented by the Norman Sisters. The duo are composed of pleasing voices. Their numbers are especially pleasing.

"The District School" act set out by the Frank Rich company, is different from the usual act of its kind that is seen, but it is on the whole typical of the country school in its characters. Miss Germaine La Pierre delighted the audience with her back dance, and with her rendition of a French kissing song. Miss Marietta Slack delivered a pleasing comedy scene, and the comedy pair, Charlie Scoville and Dan Dehl put on a pipe dance that made a big hit.

Henry Saxe takes the part of the clown, but easily hoodwinked school teacher.

Martin and Courtney present an act that is different, called "Bits of Traversity." Martin is a unique type of humorist, with a doll manner and delivery. Miss Courtney is a good foil for his humor, and shows her versatility in taking the part of a French "demonstrator" and in a domestic scene.

What is said to be the only act of its kind on any stage is put on by Billy Kallit. Kallit has a flock of trained roosters which he puts through a series of stunts with the ease that an ordinary trainer has with dogs.

### BIRD STOPS TRAIN

WELSHPOOL, Wales.—When a Great Western express train came to an unexpected stop near here, the engineer found a pheasant had flown across the track and struck the pipe operating the vacuum brake. The collision applied the brake.

## HOW TO DARKEN GRAY HAIR

A Cincinnati Barber Tells How to Make a Remedy for Gray Hair.

A well known resident of Cincinnati, Ohio, who has been a barber for more than forty years, recently made the following statement:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half-pint of water add 1 ounce by run, a small box of Barbo Compound and 1-2 ounce glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray-haired person look twenty years younger. It is easy to use, does not color the most delicate scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off."

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## In The MOVIES

### "TOL'ABLE DAVID"—RIVOLI

The story of David and Goliath is given a modern counterpart in the First National Attraction, "Tol'able David," by Richard Barthelmess, who in one of the most thrilling fight scenes ever depicted for the films, as a mere stripling of a youth, attacks and kills a veritable giant of the mountains. In the performance of his duty, "Tol'able David" is being shown at the Rivoli Theater today and tomorrow, with enormous success.

Barthelmess' big fight scene comes at the culmination of two encounters with villains, father and son, who are seeking to retain the government mail sack which is entrusted to his charge. David kills them both, but before the one dies he hurls a chair at the boy he has wounded and has his revenge in seeing the gun drop from the boy's grasp.

When Lake, another brother, the modern Goliath, steps onto the scene, David is defenseless, with his left arm useless because of a bullet wound. Fearless of this, with the agility of a tiger he leaps upon his foe, and there ensues one of the most thrilling fights imaginable.

It ends when David, with almost superhuman strength, hurls his huge adversary over his back, falling in so doing he stumbles on his lost revolver.

### "SERENADE"—MAJESTIC

A delightful story of the romantic days of Spanish glories, alive with the tempestuous love and intrigue that characterize the Latin race—that is "Serenade," which opened an engagement at the Majestic Theater yesterday.

One is swept along by the swiftly

## QUIT MEAT WHEN KIDNEYS BOTHER

Take a glass of Sals if your back hurts or troubles you

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys of your back, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Sals from any pharmacy, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to neutralize the acid.

Jad Sals is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then, thereby avoiding serious complications.

moving story, which grips the attention at the start and never allows it to relax. The settings are remarkably atmospheric and help to weave the spell which the picture casts over the spectator.

Miriam Cooper and George Walsh play the leads. Miss Cooper displays her versatility by giving an excellent performance as the senorita beloved by the eligible youth of Magdalena, and Walsh is a dashing lover.

An excellent cast supports. Miss Cooper and Mr. Walsh, including Herbert Gransby, Josef Swikard, Noble Johnson, Adolphe Knott, Tom Kennedy, John Everts, Rosita, Marstich, James A. Marcus, Ardita Milano and Peter Venizuela.

### AT THE STRAND

Teaching a dog new tricks has a decided element of uncertainty in it, as Bert Lytell found out when going through a scene with Grabbit, a prize bulldog, for his latest production for Metro, "Alias Ladyfingers," which will be seen at the Strand today.

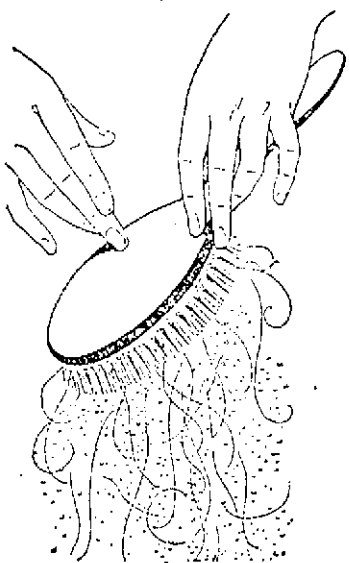
Grabbit acquired his name because of his efficiency in handling a well-developed set of teeth which he has used to camera advantage in a number of picture productions.

### AT THE RIVIERA

"I just took naturally to dancing. Why, as a lot, I was one of the most

## DANDERINE

Stops Hair Coming Out;  
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persistent in running alongside the organ grinder to get what fun I could out of his music. And, whenever I hear music, I want to dance."

Mae Murray, star of "Peacock Alley," the Tiffany production for Metro, presented by Robert Z. Leonard, now showing at the Riviera Theater, thus told of the beginning of her dancing career.

"The fact that I am in pictures has never halted my dancing enthusiasm," she says, "and now that I have a picture like 'Peacock Alley' that gives me an opportunity to play the Parisian dancer, Cleo, I feel I was born for the role."

### AT THE CASINO

During the world war a captain in a certain division called upon one of his men as a volunteer to take his life in his own hands in order to deliver a message. This grand moment nearly sure death. If you want to know how well he did it, you must see "A Western Demon," and this is but one of the many thrills introduced into this great western play.

## COOPER'S CASINO

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"BILL" FAIRBANKS

—IN—

"THE WESTERN DEMON"

TOMORROW

BERT LYTELL in

"ALIAS LADY FINGERS"

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"ALIAS LADY FINGERS"

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8:15 P. M.

NORMAL SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Tickets for sale by all members of the Normanna, and the following business houses: Johnson's Drug Store, West Salem; Superior Dry Cleaning & Rug Co., 261 State St.; N. Haugen's Shoe Shop; Arenz Shoe Store; Gordon's Drug Store, Pearl St.; Bide's Bakery; Engas Grocery; Leithold's Music Store; Noelle's Music Store; Sjolaender's Drug Store; Raul's Drug Store; Len's Drug Store; Stavrum & Fraser Clothing Co.; Rivoli Electric Shop, Rivoli Building; Doering Hotel; Hegge's Market, Rose St.; Haraldson's Shoe Store; Nelson Clothing Co.; Erickson's Bakery; A. J. Ness' Jewelry Store; Hoerschler Bros. Book and Drug Store; Dorman News Stand, and State Normal School; La Crosse High School; La Crosse Business College; Wisconsin Business University.

Tickets are \$1.00; 75c for students and teachers. Including tax. Children's tickets same as students. The entrance will open at 7:30. Tickets for sale at the entrance.

## RIVIERA

The Road to Romance—

Could she take it? Could she live down, as the wife of the man she loved, her identification with her background—the cafes of Paris?

or The Road to Ruin?

Could she go back to it, knowing that her single frailty must sooner or later yield to the menace of men?

Such is the girl's dilemma in the resplendent screen drama which

Robert Z. Leonard  
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MAE MURRAY  
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Peacock Alley

By Edmund Goulding

A Tiffany Production

Based on a story by Ouida Bergere. Directed by Robert Z. Leonard

Where the Darling of Paris Night Life finds her reputation made.

Where the drab spot of a little village dim the bright lights of Broadway.

Also a Mack Sennett Comedy—"WEDDING BELLS OUT OF TUNE".

TOMORROW

ALICE LAKE

—IN—

"THE HOLE IN THE WALL"

Buster Keaton

—IN—

"THE GOAT"

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A tale of love and adventure in the land of the Ganges, with Miriam Cooper and George Walsh.

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# CLARK HELD INSANE IS SENT TO MENDOTA BY JUDGE FOWLER

Sparta Man, Charged With Obtaining Clothes Under False Pretenses, is Committed

G. H. Clark of Sparta, who was to have been tried Monday in circuit court on a charge of obtaining a suit of clothes from the Nels Thompson company store under false pretenses, was adjudged insane by Judge E. H. Fowler and committed to the state hospital at Mendota by Judge Fowler.

Clark was first arrested and tried in county court by Judge Findley on charges of obtaining money under false pretenses, it being alleged that he was soliciting prospective customers for the handwork of disabled former service men. This case was dismissed because of insufficient evidence and the second charge of obtaining the suit of clothes under false pretenses was brought. It is alleged that Clark represented himself to be interested in a garage in Sparta.

When circuit court opened Monday morning, Paul H. Hartwell, attorney for Clark, petitioned the court to have a board of physicians appointed to examine into Clark's sanity. Mr. Hartwell declaring that in his opinion Clark was not sane.

## MORE PHONE STOCK

MADISON Wis.—The Wisconsin Telephone company was authorized today by the railroad commission to issue \$5,000,000 of seven percent cumulative preferred stock, to meet expenditures made by the company in extending and improving its service.

## Be Careful What You Wash Your Child's Hair With

If you want to keep your child's hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Multiflora coconut oil shampoo (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply put two or three teaspoonfuls of Multiflora in a cup of glass with a little warm water, then moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather closes out dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get Multiflora coconut oil shampoo at any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months. Be sure your druggist gives you Multiflora.

# NEBRASKA BOYCOTTS SCHOOLS PERMITTING THE GIRLS TO SMOKE

LINCOLN, Neb.—Instructors in any of the state normal colleges of Nebraska, hereafter, will be refused leaves of absence to study or attend the University of Columbia, Chicago, and Northwestern, "because the testimony of those who have been students and the news items in the daily press, show that cigar smoking is common among women in these institutions," under a resolution adopted Monday by the board of education of the state normal schools.

## CUBA AGREES TO LIMIT ITS SUGAR EXPORTS TO U. S.

HAVANA—Cuba will not reduce artificially this year's crop but will agree to limitation of exports to the U. S., it was announced Monday by Jose Cortina, secretary of the president, and chief of the cabinet, speaking for the government.

The man who waits for things to turn up finds his toes do it first.

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# FORMER LA CROSSE MAN PLAYING IN PICTURE AT RIVOLI

Werner Raetzmann Playing Important Role in "Tollable David" Showing Here

A little more than passing interest may be taken in the picture, "Tollable David," now showing at the Rivoli theater when it becomes known that a former La Crosse man, Werner Raetzmann, is seen playing an important role as brother of "David" himself.

Raetzmann, who formerly lived

with his parents at 1217 State street, will be remembered as having appeared on the stage here eight years ago with Charlotte Walker, in "The Trail of the Louisiana Pine." Following his successful stage career, Mr. Raetzmann entered the movies, having appeared here at different times with characters of such note as Norma Talmadge and Theda Bara.

William Raetzmann, father of the actor, many years ago was publisher of the German newspaper, the Volksfreund. The family came here from Reedsburg.

## WAR RISK CHIEF DIES

NEW YORK—Col. R. G. Cholmerley-Jones, formerly director of the bureau of war risk insurance, died at the Presbyterian hospital early Tuesday. He had been ill at the hospital since October 20 last.



THERE'S enough real cheer and smacking satisfaction in a steaming cup of Thomas J. Webb Coffee to turn a rainy-day grouch into a sunny-day smile.

Your grocer carries it. Ask him today.

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# COLORADO EX-GOVERNOR DEAD

DENVER Col.—J. F. Shafer, former U. S. senator from Colorado and twice governor of this state, died here Monday afternoon. He was 67 years old.



## Powder and Perfume With Cuticura Talcum

An exquisitely scented, antiseptic powder. Gives quick relief to sunburned or irritated skins, overcomes heavy perspiration, and imparts a delicate, lasting fragrance, leaving the skin sweet and wholesome.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 147, Madison 44, Mass." Sold every where. Soap 25c. Ointment 25c and 50c. Talcum 15c.

# Women Want Men Leaders

There is a big labor union of women in Lynn, Mass., which for many years has been managed by women. Gradually the women have become dissatisfied with their sister man-

agers and have displaced these officials with men. At the last annual election a full ticket of men officials was voted for.

## H. A. GOBEL MEATS AND GROCERIES. 1127 So. 7th. Phone 569.

### Wednesday Specials

Soup Meat, Wednesday at per pound	8c
Neck Ribs, 6 lbs. for	25c
Pigs Feet, 5 lbs. for	25c
Pig Kidneys, special at	4 lbs. for 25c
Pig Snouts, special at	3 lbs. for 25c
Beef Pot Roast, Wednesday at per pound	12c
Cornd Beef, per pound	15c and 12c
Fresh Cottage Cheese, per pound	10c
We have some fine Veal and Lamb.	
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## AUCTION

There will be an auction sale three miles east of Onalaska on the JOHN MCKENZIE farm  
**Friday, Feb. 24**  
Farm stock, 26 fresh milch cows, high grade Holsteins.  
J. C. HAGENBAUGH, Auctioneer.

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Our Store Has Been Crowded With Eager Buyers for Our  
**12th Anniversary Sale**

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## Sale of Cloth and Plush Coats

Our entire stock of Cloth and Plush Coats divided into four lots.

LOT 1—Values up to \$29.98, for	<b>\$10.00</b>	LOT 3—Values up to \$50.00, for	<b>\$19.98</b>
LOT 2—Values up to \$45.00, for	<b>\$15.00</b>	LOT 4—Values up to \$79.98, for	<b>\$29.98</b>

## Four Special Dress Bargains

LOT 1—Values up to \$19.98, for	<b>\$9.98</b>	LOT 3—Values up to \$29.98, for	<b>\$19.98</b>
LOT 2—Values up to \$25.00, for	<b>\$14.98</b>	LOT 4—Values up to \$50.00, for	<b>\$25.00</b>

## A SKIRT SPECIAL

One lot of Skirts made of all wool Prunella Cloth, Velour, Serge and Poplin, in checks, plaids, stripes and plain colors, values up to \$15.00, during this sale, for **\$4.75**

## Sensational Anniversary Bargains All Over the Store

EXTRA SPECIAL—Corsets in back and front lace, values up to \$2.50, for	<b>\$1.00</b>	Cretones, for aprons, drapes, box coverings and comforters, at the yard	<b>22c</b>
Fancy Bandeaux and Brassieres, values up to \$1.50, for	<b>79c</b>	Silk-faced Hosiery, slightly imperfect, if perfect would sell for \$1.25, at the pair	<b>50c</b>
Chamoisette Gloves, \$1.00 value, per pair	<b>79c</b>	36-in. Percale, in light and dark colors, at the yard	<b>16c</b>
All wool Serge, \$1.25 value, at the yard	<b>79c</b>	4 yards of 35c Nainsook for	<b>\$1.00</b>
Haskell's Taffeta, in plain and changeable, \$2.75 value, on sale at per yard	<b>\$2.29</b>	Stevens' Crash, in bleached and unbleached, at the yard	<b>25c</b>
27-in. check and plaid Dress Gingham, 25c value, at the yard	<b>15c</b>	You will find bargains throughout the store not advertised.	

OUR Spring Merchandise is arriving daily. Never before in the history of this store have we shown such beautiful merchandise at such moderate prices. Come in and see it.

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Jersey Knit Bloomers, 75c value for	<b>39c</b>	Ladies' Wash Waists, slightly soiled, values up to \$3.98, for	<b>98c</b>
Nainsook Chemise, \$1.00 value, for	<b>49c</b>	Sweetheart Aprons, \$1.00 value, for	<b>49c</b>
Nainsook Bloomers, 83c value, for	<b>49c</b>	Bungalow Aprons, values up to \$1.65, for	<b>98c</b>
Sateen Pantalettes, \$1.50 and \$1.98 values, for	<b>98c</b>	Children's Rompers and Play Suits, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, for	<b>98c</b>
Fine Nainsook Chemise, \$1.50 value, for	<b>98c</b>	Children's black Sateen Bloomers, sizes 6 to 18 years, 50c and 59c values, for	<b>39c</b>
Fine Nainsook Gowns, \$1.50 values, for	<b>98c</b>	Children's black and white Sateen Bloomers, 85c values, for	<b>49c</b>
Fine Nainsook and Sateen Petticoats, values up to \$1.98, for	<b>98c</b>		

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EVENING AT  
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## DOERFLINGER'S

Ask for our Cash Discount Stamps. One stamp with every 10c purchase, a book of 500 stamps worth \$1.00 in cash.

## This Week Must See the Last of Our Boys' Winter Clothing

Our entire Fall and Winter stock of Boys' Overcoats of all kinds, ranging in sizes from 2 to 14 years, every kind of material, the smartest little styles, we offer at a discount of... **20%**

Our entire stock of Children's Knit Sweater Sets and Separate Leggings at **1/3 Off**

Special Sale of Boys' Hats, Caps and Toques divided into two lots, **39c** values up to **50c** values up to 75c at

Our Entire Stock of Children's Wool Dresses **1/3 Off** sizes from 4 to 17 years at

## There Is a Particular Charm About the New Children's Coats

They really haven't been here long enough for us to get acquainted, but we are very anxious that you should know about them. Most of them have a kind of an imported look and we can picture the little ones stepping out on the first warm day with a very important, pleased how-do-I-look-folks, air. There are smart little coats of mixtures and plain colors and even a few capes here and there, like mother's. Before we tell you too much about them, we want you to know how reasonably priced they are. For girls from 2 to 14 years they range from—  
**\$2.50 to \$17.50**

Junior Misses, from 13 to 19 years—  
**\$11.50 to \$35.00**

All 10 inch Columbia  
Double Faced Records  
**49c**

6 lbs.	3 lbs.
Fancy clean bulk rolled Oats—	Blue Rose Head Rice, special at—
<b>19c</b>	<b>19c</b>

## "BOYS WEEK" In the Shoe Department

La Crosse Made Boys' Shoes in semi-English and army lasts, Goodyear Welt Oak soles, brown calf upper, all solid throughout and guaranteed by the manufacturer—

**\$3.85**

Other Special Priced Shoes for Boys as Follows:

LOT 1 Brown side leather, blucher cut, McKay sewed, solid leather, per pair—	<b>\$2.85</b>	LOT 2 Black calf, blucher cut, solid leather throughout, per pair—	<b>\$2.50</b>
Men's Work Shoes, Wednesday pair <b>\$2.85</b>			